





THE STOCKING ANCESTRY

The date usually accepted as that on which surnames came into recognized use is A. D. 1000. They were more generally names borrowed from estates on which their wearers resided, and they, therefore, indicate original landed proprietors. In process of time, the use of surnames was extended to natural objects, and later on, to the professions and trades, and even to personal traits and characteristics. On the accession of William the Conqueror to the English crown, he caused to be published, in 1083-86, a survey of the demesnes in his new kingdom, with their metes and bounds, description of lands, varieties of tenures, classes of persons, kinds of money, statistical accounts, and historical matters. From these William ascertained a knowledge of the possessions of the crown, the number of land-holders, the military strength, and best sources of revenue. This publication was known as *Domesday Book*. It was the first record published at the cost of the nation; in two volumes, it forms until the present day the basis of historical records of those ancient times, and fixes the domiciles of all the then families of position and respectability. Among these ancient families was that of Stocking-ha, or Stocking-ham, the suffix *ham* being the old Saxon *heim*, the old English *ham* used by Chaucer, from which comes the modern *home*. Hence Stocking-ham was the home of the Stockings.

On the return of Edward III. from Palestine in 1273, after the death of his father, Henry II., he caused to be made a fresh inquiry about the demesnes of the crown, and of its rights and revenues, many of which had been usurped by the clergy and laity during the preceding turbulent reign. The inquisition being made on oath of each hundred heads of families, this royal record was called *Rotuli Hundredorum* (Rolls of the Hundreds). In this record is found the name of the Stockings De Stocking, the "De" (of or from) thus fixing the estate of the family, which *Domesday Book* locates in Suffolk, England, and not in Scotland or Wales, as some traditions have asserted.

From this ancient family came George Stocking, the first and only one of the name known to have emigrated to America. His name was spelled Stocken, Stockin, and Stocking, indifferently. As no subject of the English crown could secure the royal permission to cross the high seas without first taking the oath of allegiance to the king and parliament, and that of conformity to the Established Church, together with a certificate from a justice of the peace and from their parish ministers that he

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was "no subsidy man," all who refused to do so were compelled to leave the country in a virtually surreptitious manner. George Stocking, his wife, and four children, were Dissenters, and members of the party of Rev. Thomas Hooker. They sailed from England in the ship *Griffin*, and landed in Boston in 1633. George built a house at Cambridge, and there he lived for two years, when dissensions having arisen among the different congregations of the colony, Hooker organized a new company and congregation of one hundred souls, and struck out for the Connecticut River Valley, the women on horseback, the men on foot. The journey occupied two weeks, in which time their eyes were gladdened by the sight of the noble river, and on its banks they founded beautiful Hartford.

It will be seen from the following records that the Stockings were a hardy, long-lived, and enterprising family, and that the spirit of emigration was inherited by many successive generations. George's only son removed to Middletown, Conn., and became the progenitor of a numerous and vigorous posterity, who swarmed eastward into Massachusetts, and westward through unbroken forests, pioneers of patient courage and fearless perseverance, until their homes were bounded by the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, by Upper Canada and the Gulf of Mexico.

They have been largely interested in religious, educational, and political matters, the majority being Methodists in faith, and Whigs, Free-Soilers, and Republicans in politics. Few families have had so many centenarians, and though some have died in prison, it was as patriots, and not as criminals. Not one of them is thus far known to have been the defendant in a criminal proceeding.

1 George Stocking and Anna — had:

- (2) Deacon Samuel, m. May 27, 1652, Bethia Hopkins.
- (3) Sarah, m. Samuel Olcott, of Hartford, Conn.
- (4) Lydia, m. John Richards, of Hartford, Conn.
- (5) Hannah, m. 1649, Andrew Benton.

George was b. in Suffolk, England, about 1582, emigrated to America in 1633, and settled in Cambridge, Mass., where, in 1635, he built a house at the corner of the present Holyoke and Winthrop streets. He was made a freeman May 6, 1635. Joining the company of the Rev. Thomas Hooker, one hundred in number, he traveled on foot through the intervening wilderness to the Connecticut River in 1636, and was one of the original founders of the city of Hartford, and a prominent proprietor. In the general distribution of land, he received twenty acres, "on the south side of the road

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from George Steel's, to the south meadow," other grants being made later on. On the death of Anna, whom he had married in England, he is understood to have m. 2d Agnes (Shotwell) Webster, widow of John Webster, governor of the colony. He took from the first an active part in local affairs; was selectman in 1647; surveyor of highways in 1654, and '62; chimney viewer in 1659, and was excused from military duty in 1660, owing to "great age." He d. May 25, 1683, aged 101 years, and his name is inscribed on a large monument erected to the memory of Hooker's party, and which now stands in the old Center Church burying-ground in Hartford.

Last will and testament of George Stocking:

"15 July, 1673.

"George Stocking of Hartford upon the River of Connecticut planter dos in this my last Will and Testament Give unto Anne my Wife all my housings barn orchards homelott upland and meadow & swamp land cattles and all other estate for her to use during the time of her life, and after her decease to be disposed of as follows. I doe give to my daughter Lidia Richards the wife of John Richards The sum of £14. and do also give to my dau Sarah Olcott the wife of Samuel Olcott the sum of £10. I doe also give unto the six children of Andrew Benton, that is to Andrew Benton, Jr., John Benton, Samuel Benton, Joseph Benton, Mary Benton, and Dorothy Benton, the sum of £12. to be divided among them I doe hereby give unto Hannah Camp one Mare My will is that these legacies be discharged within one year next after my wifes decease. My will also is that my wife shall keep the housing and barn in repair unless something more than ordinary befall any of them. the remainder of my estate to my son Samuel Stocking and make him my executor. The land to pay its due proportion to the Ministry of the New Meeting house. I desire Gregory Wollerton and St Bull to be overseers

"GEORGE STOCKING (SEAL)

"Witness

"GREGORY WOLLERTON

"GEORGE GRAVE, Sen."

2 Samuel and Bethia Hopkins had:

(6) Hannah, b. October 30, 1654. d. before 1683.

(7) Samuel, b. October 19, 1656. d. December 2, 1697. unm. Left an estate of £327 to his brothers, John, George, and Daniel, and two sisters.



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- (8) Bethia, b. October 10, 1658. m. October 16, 1675, Thomas Stow, of Middletown, Conn.
- (9) John, b. September 24, 1660. "A distracted person." unm.
- (10) Lydia, b. Jan. 20, 1662. m. Joseph Howell, of Southampton, L. I.
- (11) George, b. February 20, 1664. m. Elizabeth —.
- (12) Ebenezer, b. February 23, 1666. d. before 1697.
- (13) Steven, b. March 23, 1673. d. before 1697.
- (14) Daniel, b. April 14, 1677. m. August 27, 1700, Jane Mould, of New London, Conn.

Deacon Samuel was b. in England; emigrated with his father in 1633, and in 1650 rem. from Hartford to Middletown, Conn., where he became one of its founders, and was one of the three signers of the Indian deed of Middletown. He was the first deacon in the Middletown church, organized in 1668, and was representative in the state assembly in 1658, '59, '65, '69, '74, '77, and '81. His house stood in Upper Middletown, now the town of Cromwell. Deacon Samuel d. December 3, 1683, and his widow m. 2d James Steele, of Hartford. Samuel was a sergeant in King Philip's war. He was an extensive ship builder and owner. His estate, inventoried at £648-08-08, was divided among all his children then living, the land on the east side of the Connecticut River being left to his sons George and Ebenezer, and £3 in cash to his pastor, Rev. Nathaniel Collins.

Bethia was the dau. of John and Jane Hopkins, and granddaughter of Samuel Hopkins, one of the signers of the Mayflower Compact, in 1620. He was a member of Capt. Miles Standish's military company, February, 1621; was sent by Gov. Bradford with Edward Winslow (afterward governor) on a special mission to Massasoit, the Indian chief; member of Governor's Council, 1632-36; volunteer in 1637 in aid of Mass. and Conn. colonists against the Pequots; member of Council of War for Plymouth, 1643. Samuel had two other sons, Joseph and Nathaniel, who d. before 1683.

3 Sarah Stocking and Samuel Olcott had:

- (15) Sarah.
- (16) Mary.
- (17) Elizabeth.
- (18) Thomas.
- (19) George.

Samuel d. 1704; will probated April 12, 1704; res. Hartford, Conn.

4 Lydia Stocking and John Richards had:

- (20) John, m. 1686.
- (21) Dea. Thomas, b. 1666, d. April 9, 1749. m. 1691, Mary Parsons.
- (22) Samuel, m. 1697, Hannah Henbury. He d. at Hartford, 1732-3.

Lydia "covenanted" with the church at Hartford, and was living July 12, 1712. John Richards was b. 1631, and was living July 12, 1712. They had many descendants, among them being the Richardses of Orange, N. J., of whom were Drs. George and George Herbert Richards, father and son; also Miss Juliette A. Turner, 201 W. 117th St., New York City, in the following line:

Deacon Thomas and Mary Parsons.
 Abigail Richards (1702) and John Turner.
 Samuel Turner (1730) and Sarah Howe.
 Solomon Turner (1767) and Sarah Jencks.
 Myron Turner (1800) and Louisa E. Sherer.
 Juliette A. T. Turner, 1846.

5 Hannah Stocking and Andrew Benton had:

- (23) John, bap. April 14, 1650. d. 1650 "by his mother in ye bed in ye night."
- (24) Hannah, bap. November 23, 1651. m. Joseph Root.
- (25) Andrew, bap. August 14, 1653. m. Sarah Chatterton, of New Haven.
- (26) Mary, bap. April 15, 1655. m. Matthew Woodruff.
- (27) John, b. October 7, 1656.
- (28) Samuel, b. August 15, 1658.
- (29) Joseph, b. 1660. m. Mary Woodruff. d. August 12, 1753.
- (30) Dorothy.

Hannah Stocking was the youngest daughter of George and Anna Stocking, of Hartford, Conn. Andrew Benton came from England between 1630 and 1635. He was one of the original settlers in Milford, Conn., in 1639, and was allotted lot 64; admitted to the church in Milford March 5, 1648. Hannah was admitted October 13, 1650. Andrew removed to Hartford in 1660; was elected viewer of fences in 1663; was creditor of Nathaniel Greensmith, who was executed for witchcraft at Hartford, January 25, 1663; served as juror, 1664; was admitted freeman in Hartford, May 11, 1665.

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8 Bethiah Stocking and Thomas Stow had:

- (31) Bethiah, b. April 6, 1678. d. young.
- (32) Dea. Samuel, bap. October, 1681. m. February 8, 1705, Esther Mould.
- (33) Bethiah, b. February 22, 1685.
- (34) Mary, b. August, 1688.
- (35) Thomas, b. May 7, 1691. m. Martha White.
- (36) Hannah, b. February 11, 1696. m. March 3, 1718, John Kirby.
- (37) Joseph, b. August 3, 1703. m. Sarah Bulkley.

Bethiah d. November 6, 1732. Thomas Stow d. March 30, 1730. Res. Upper Middletown. Dea. Samuel Stow and Esther Mould had Stephen; m. Freelove Baldwin. They had William; m. Elizabeth Baldwin, who had Charlotte, m. William Tuttle; who had George F. Tuttle, of New Haven, Conn.

9 John Stocking

was evidently afflicted with some form of mental infirmity, for in 1698 he was adjudged to be mentally incapable of selling his estate. He entered a formal complaint the year previous against his brother-in-law, Thomas Stow, for disabling his horse, and for appropriating unlawfully his saddle and furniture. The complaint was adjudged groundless, but Thomas was ordered to restore the saddle to the plaintiff. His estate was inventoried March 29, 1726, so that he must have died that year, aged 66.

11 George Stocking and Elizabeth — had:

- (38) Steven, b. August 20, 1694. m. July 1, 1722, Elizabeth Hall. m. 2d widow Sarah Andrews, February 24, 1757.
- (39) Elizabeth, b. March 6, 1697. m. December 8, 1736, John Payne, of East Middletown.
- (40) Samuel, b. October 16, 1700. m. July 20, 1726, Abiah Boardman.
- (41) Bethia, b. April 12, 1703. m. June 8, 1727, John Churchill, of East Middletown.
- (42) Captain George, b. August 16, 1705. m. March 1, 1727, Mary (Mercy) Savage.
- (43) Nathaniel, b. June 28, 1709. m. January 7, 1734, Abigail Cooper.

George rem. from Upper Middletown to East Middletown (later Chatham, now Portland) before 1710. He d. February 17, 1714, and is buried



in the old cemetery in Portland. He left to his six children, all then living, an estate valued at £359-09-01.

His widow m. 2d Deacon Samuel Hall, of East Middletown, and d. there November 16, 1787.

George was one of a committee to build a church, and was put under bonds, March 17, 1710, to see that the work was well done.

14 Daniel Stocking and Jane Mould had:

- (44) Daniel, b. May 10, 1701. Probably d. young.
- (45) Capt. Joseph, b. February 27, 1703. m. December 20, 1726, Abigail Ranney. m. 2d widow Hannah (Pitkin) Magill.
- (46) Ebenezer, b. November 23, 1704. d. September 20, 1762.
- (47) Capt. John, b. July 14, 1707. m. December 27, 1749, Mary Hall. She m. 2d, January 10, 1751, Nathaniel Chauncey.
- (48) Jonathan, b. October 1, 1709. m. Patience —. m. 2d, October 8, 1747, Sarah Wilcox.
- (49) Jane, b. December 19, 1711. m. April 17, 1730, Nicholas Ayrault.
- (50) Elisha, b. March 25, 1714. m. January 26, 1737, Rachel Ranney.

David res. in Upper Middletown, Conn., where he d. 1733. Jane was dau. of Hugh and Martha (Coit) Mould, of New London, Conn. She d. April 1, 1758.

38 Steven Stocking and Elizabeth Hall had:

- (51) Joseph, b. June 28, 1723. m. November 1, 1753, widow Sarah (Shepherd) Cornwall.
- (52) Steven, b. August 15, 1724. m. July 14, 1752, Mary Andrews.
- (53) Elizabeth, b. June 1, 1726.
- (54) Sarah, b. January 24, 1728. m. April 17, 1746, Deacon David Sage, of Chatham.
- (55) David, b. September 20, 1730. m. July 14, 1753, Abigail Spencer.
- (56) Lois, b. July 15, 1733. d. young.
- (57) Amos, b. August 7, 1736. d. September 15, 1762.

Elizabeth was from Portland, Conn.

Steven res. in Chatham, Conn.; was commissioned ensign of militia in 1732. m. 2d, February 24 1757, widow Sarah Andrews, who d. July 29. 1790. He d. 1789.

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40 Samuel Stocking and Abiah Boardman had:

- (58) Samuel, b. June 17, 1727.
- (59) Elijah, b. December 30, 1728. m. Hannah —.
- (60) Marshall, b. August 15, 1730. m. Anne —; m. 2d, September 3, 1767, Esther Tryon.
- (61) Benjamin, b. July 1, 1732. m. Phœbe Washburn; m. 2d, January 7, 1789, widow Mary Stocking.
- (62) Abigail, bap. June 30, 1734. m. Benjamin Hale.
- (63) Ruth, bap. October 3, 1736. m. John Penfield.
- (64) Moses, bap. January 5, 1739.
- (65) Abiah, bap. June 15, 1741. m. Zaccheus Goodrich, of Middletown.
- (66) Prudence, bap. November 3, 1745. m. Nathaniel Goodrich. He d. December 9, 1773.

Samuel lived in Chatham, Conn., where he died July 21, 1772. Abiah d. October 13, 1762.

41 Bethiah Stocking and John Churchill had:

- (67) Mary, b. March 8, 1728. d. July 23, 1798. m. George Cooper.
- (68) John, b. January 25, 1730. d. young.
- (69) Hannah, bap. April 11, 1731. m. Josiah Pelton.
- (70) Joseph, bap. January 27, 1734.
- (71) Lydia, bap. May 23, 1737. d. young.
- (72) Elizabeth, bap. June 16, 1747.
- (73) Lydia, bap. June 16, 1747.
- (74) Prudence, bap. June 16, 1747.
- (75) Sarah, b. 1744; d. September 11, 1828. m. February 11, 1761, Elisha Hurlbut.

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42 Capt. George and Mercy Savage had:

- (76) George, b. May 11, 1728. m. January 25, 1747, Eunice Cobb.
- (77) Capt. Abner, b. April 1, 1726. m. February 8, 1749, Ruth Higgins.
- (78) John, August 15, 1732. m. January 28, 1753, Priscilla Mayo.
- (79) Mary, January 12, 1735. m. January 23, 1752, George Hubbard.

- (80) Hezekiah, b. February 1, 1737. m. Harriet Williams.
- (81) Lucy, b. August 8, 1739. m. July 21, 1757, Sylvanus Higgins.
- (82) Martha, bap. November 8, 1741. m. January 18, 1760, Jedediah Hubbard.
- (83) Reuben, bap. February 12, 1744. m. September 19, 1765, Sarah Hurlbut.
- (84) Mercy, bap. May 1, 1746. d. August 20, 1749.
- (85) Mercy, bap. November 26, 1752. m. August 29, 1771, James Brainerd.

Capt. George res. in Middle Haddam, where he d. 1790. He served in the "Lexington Alarm," Capt. Eleazur Hubbard's company, which marched from Glastonbury; was commissioned Capt. of militia in 1752. He had a grist mill in Middle Haddam, the fourth parish of old Middletown, before 1740.

43 Nathaniel Stocking and Abigail Cooper had:

- (86) Lydia, b. October 12, 1735. m. 1756, Lemuel Smith.
- (87) Nathaniel, b. May 6, 1738. d. October 7, 1751.
- (88) Lamberton, b. February 9, 1739. m. Sarah —; m. 2d, April 21, 1779, Mehitable Young.
- (89) Elizabeth, b. December 12, 1741. m. May 1, 1760, Jonathan Brainerd.
- (90) Samuel, b. November 12, 1743. m. November 29, 1764, Jane Higgins. d. before 1775, and widow Jane m. 2d, November 25, 1775, Joshua Merrie.
- (91) Jemima, b. September 7, 1745. m. October 22, 1765, Capt. David Brooks.
- (92) Thomas, b. September 20, 1747. m. October 31, 1771, Elizabeth Hurd.
- (93) Sarah, b. September 15, 1749. m. Elisha Day.
- (94) Timothy, b. August 18, 1751. d. November, 1753.
- (95) Ruth, b. February 2, 1756. Living in 1781.

Nathaniel was b. in East Middletown, now Portland. Rem. to Haddam Neck about 1735, and d. there "in a sudden manner," January 24, 1781. Wife Abigail was dau. of Thos. Cooper, and great-granddaughter of Capt. George Lamberton, b. 1642, and whom Longfellow has immortalized in his poem of "The Phantom Ship." Capt. George sailed from New Haven, Conn., bound for London, in 1645. The ship having never been heard from, it was supposed to have been lost. Suddenly it again appeared in

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the harbor, and while the citizens of the town were gazing at the unexpected sight, it as suddenly disappeared, and was never heard of again. His dau. m. Thos. Cooper, one of the prominent founders of Springfield, Mass., who was killed by the Indians in 1675.

45 Capt. Joseph Stocking and Abigail Ranney had:

(96) Daniel, b. January 18, 1728. m. Sarah Gould, of Stratford, Conn.;
m. 2d, April 21, 1757, Bethia Kirby.

(97) Zebulon, b. October 6, 1741. d. young.

(98) Abigail, m. October 28, 1757, Thomas Goodwin.

Capt. Joseph's wife Abigail dying, he m. 2d widow Hannah (Pitkin) Magill, and as the date of this marriage is not known, it is uncertain which of the two wives was the mother of the last two children.

Wife Hannah d. March 26, 1783. Capt. Joseph d. October 17, 1783.
Res. Cromwell, Conn.

46 Ebenezer Stocking

was a sailor, and served on board the Brigantine *King George*, sailing from Middletown for Barbadoes, October, 1746. He was then 18 years old, short of stature, and of a fair complexion. He d. September 20, 1762, and was probably unmarried, for his estate was left to his brothers Joseph and Elisha, to his sister, Jane, and to the heirs of his brother Jonathan.

47 Capt. John

was a sea captain. He lived in Upper Middletown, but was, perhaps, for a few years a resident of Haddam, or Middle Haddam. He d. at Statia, February 26, 1750, and his widow m. 2d, January 10, 1751, Nathaniel Chauncey.

48 Jonathan Stocking and Patience — had:

(99) Lydia, bap. October 19, 1746. m. April 2, 1765, Capt. Samuel Treat.

Patience d. October 23, 1746, and Jonathan m. 2d, October 8, 1747, Sarah Wilcox. They had:

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- (100) Patience, bap. July 31, 1748. d. young.
- (101) Joseph, bap. October 1, 1749. m. August 4, 1774, Olive Cole, Berlin, Conn.
- (102) Luther, bap. March 22, 1752. m. July 17, 1775, Sarah Goodrich. She d. March 22, 1829.
- (103) John, b. 1756. m. 1782, Sarah Winchell.

Jonathan was killed, October 17, 1761, by a fall from an apple-tree. Res. Cromwell, Conn.

49 Jane Stocking and Capt. Nicholas Ayrault had:

- (104) James, b. September 17, 1730.
- (105) Mary Ann, b. May 6, 1733. d. young.
- (106) Mary Anne, b. February 25, 1737. d. September 5, 1741.
- (107) Daniel, b. December 8, 1738. d. March 8, 1807. m. Mary Balch, who d. September 5, 1852, aged 100.
- (108) Nicholas, b. May 1, 1740. d. same day.
- (109) Jane, b. March 6, 1742.
- (110) Marian, b. November 5, 1746. d. 1748.

Jane d. October 26, 1783, in Wethersfield, Conn. Nicholas was made guardian of Elisha Stocking at Wethersfield, February 1, 1732. He d. March 29, 1749.

50 Elisha Stocking and Rachel Ranney had:

- (111) Lucy, b. June 10, 1737. m. November 27, 1755, Thomas Kirby.
- (112) Sarah, b. February 28, 1739. m. 1760, Nathaniel Savage.

Rachel d. March 7, 1739, and Elisha m. 2d, February 15, 1740, Marjery Wilcox, and had:

- (113) Submit, February 28, 1741. m. October 22, 1770, Hezekiah Goodrich.
- (114) Capt. Zebulon, bap. April 4, 1742. m. April 6, 1765, Martha Edwards.
- (115) Rachel, bap. June 29, 1743. m. April 2, 1765, Eli Butler.
- (116) Theodosia, bap. February 23, 1745.
- (117) John, bap. May 6, 1750. Served in Rev. War.
- (118) Elisha, bap. August 17, 1751. d. young.
- (119) Elisha, bap. April 21, 1754. m. December 15, 1793, Susannah Hamlin.

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(120) William, bap. June 26, 1757. m. 1st Elizabeth —; m. 2d Anna Olcott.

Wife Marjery d. June 29, 1757, and Elisha m. 3d, February 4, 1758, Thankful Butler. They had:

(121) Marjery, bap. January 7, 1759. m. October 20, 1793, James Porter.

Elisha was quartermaster of troop of horse in the militia. He res. and d. in Upper Middletown, April 4, 1775.

51 Capt. Joseph Stocking and widow Sarah Cornwall had:

(122) Abraham, b. September 26, 1754. m. Nabby Smith.

(123) Joseph, b. June 16, 1756. unm.

(124) Lemuel, b. August 10, 1758. m. Tanoza —; m. 2d, May 8, 1811, Ruth Ford.

(125) Elizabeth, b. July 22, 1760. m. Timothy Perkins, of Ashfield, Mass. She d. October, 1849.

(126) A daughter, b. November 17, 1762.

(127) Amos, b. July 17, 1764. m. —.

(128) Sarah, b. September 22, 1770. m. September 14, 1786, Calvin Lazelle, of Auburn, N. Y.

Joseph removed from East Middletown (now Portland), Conn., to Ashfield, Mass., before the Revolution, where he owned a large farm. Wife Sarah was the dau. of John and Sarah Clark Shepherd, of East Middletown, and widow of William Cornwall. She was b. in 1727, and d. 1820.

Joseph was sergeant of the Sixth Co. Second Conn. Regt., Gen. Joseph Spencer commanding; served under first call for troops, April, 1775; marched to Boston; served at Roxbury, Bunker Hill, and in Arnold's expedition against Quebec. He d. 1819, aged 93.

52 Steven Stocking and Mary Andrews had:

(129) Eber, b. January 15, 1756. m. November 2, 1784, Olive Sage.

(130) Steven, b. 1758. m. January 7, 1782, Sarah Hills.

(131) Lois, b. 1760. m. April 11, 1776, Benjamin Abbey.

(132) Jonathan, b. —. m. April 26, 1784, Polly Allen.

(133) David, bap. February 13, 1765. m. Phœbe Cook.

Steven was b. at Chatham, Conn., and d. there, May 2, 1775. Mary was b. August 10, 1732, and after Steven's death, m. 2d, Benjamin Stocking. She d. May 9, 1825.

54 Sarah Stocking and Dea. David Sage had:

- (134) David, b. February 25, 1747.
- (135) Joseph, b. July 28, 1748.
- (136) Noah, b. March 1, 1750.
- (137) Enoch, b. February 16, 1752.
- (138) Ebenezer, b. August 16, 1755.
- (139) Abner, 1758.
- (140) Ruth, 1761.
- (141) Sarah, 1765.
- (142) Mary, 1769.

Sarah was b. in Chatham, Conn. Dea. David was b. 1718; d. 1803.

55 David Stocking and Abigail Spencer had:

- (143) Elizabeth, b. December 21, 1754. m.
- (144) Azubah, b. August 9, 1757.
- (145) Abigail, b. March 25, 1760. m. December 12, 1788, Alexander Alvord.
- (146) Huldah, b. December 27, 1762. m. March 29, 1795, John Mitchell.
- (147) Rachel, b. January 4, 1765. m. Senior Beach.

David res. in East Haddam, Conn., where he d. March 3, 1807. Abigail, his wife, was b. 1727, and d. July 25, 1810.

59 Elijah Stocking and Hannah — had:

- (149) Hannah, b. 1758.
- (150) Samuel, b. 1759. m. Mrs. Young.
- (151) John, b. May 5, 1763. m. Deborah Hurlbut.
- (152) Abigail, b. 1766. m. Timothy Hurlbut.
- (153) Elijah, bap. March 29, 1769. d. young.
- (154) Elijah, bap. March 19, 1769. m. January 2, 1794, Mary Sage.
- (155) David, bap. 1770.

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- (156) Joel, bap. August 24, 1774. m. May 22, 1817, Catherine Wilcox.
Rem. to Medina,²O.
(157) Jared, bap. November 2, 1777. Rem. to Durham, N. Y.
(158) Joseph.
Elijah res. in Chatham, Conn., where he d. January 19, 1807. Hannah
d. there, December 1, 1807.
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60 Marshall Stocking and Anne — had:

- (159) Prudence, bap. January 29, 1752. m. December 19, 1773, Nathaniel Goodrich.
(160) Jemima, bap. December 28, 1754.
(161) Eunice, bap. January 25, 1756. m. July 11, 1774, Ephraim Bowers.
(162) Marshall. m. February 5, 1783, Anna Bartlett.
(163) Anne. d. May 2, 1775.
Wife Anne dying, Marshall m. 2d, September 3, 1767, Esther Tryon.
They had:
(164) Aseph, bap. July 10, 1768.
(165) Samuel, bap. December 6, 1772. m. —.
(166) Esther, bap. October 11, 1774. m. July 26, 1791, Theodore Morgan, West Hartford.
(167) Ruth, bap. August 17, 1777.
Marshall res. in Chatham. Esther, his wife, d. there October 16, 1779.
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61 Benjamin Stocking and Phœbe Washburn had:

- (168) Benjamin, b. December 17, 1753.
(169) Phœbe, bap. October 28, 1756. m. 1784, — Bates.
(170) Joseph, bap. October 28, 1756.
(171) Sarah, b. February 26, 1758. m. September 30, 1777, Gideon Hurlbut.
(172) Moses, b. June 12, 1760. m. November 17, 1785, Elizabeth Pelton.
(173) Lucy, bap. August 18, 1762. d. young.
(174) Grace, b. May 8, 1763. m. 1st, July 2, 1782, Othniel Brainerd;
m. 2d, December 1, 1785, Joseph Wilcox.
(175) Lydia, bap. October 1, 1764.
(176) Lucy, bap. June 2, 1765.

(177) Eleazer, b. December 11, 1769. m. October 12, 1790, Dorothy Edwards. She d. October 10, 1803.

(178) Reuben, b. February 16, 1777. m. May 1, 1800, Elizabeth Rowley Isham.

Wife Phœbe was b. March 27, 1738; d. November 23, 1784; and Benjamin m. 2d, January 7, 1789, Mary Andrews Stocking, widow of Steven Stocking. Benjamin was a tanner and shoemaker. He rem. from Chatham, Conn., to Byron, N. Y., where he d. December 4, 1808.

62 Abigail Stocking and Benjamin Hale had:

(179) Abigail, b. April 4, 1766. m. September 6, 1792, Seth Austin, b. July, 1770; d. August 20, 1801, in Pawlet, Vt.

Benjamin Hale was b. in Chatham, Conn., 1739; d. December, 1731.

Mrs. Harriet Ann (Austin) Townsend, of Buffalo, is a lineal descendant. (Seth,¹ Benjamin.²) She is president of the Women's Educational and Industrial Union in that city.

65 Abiah Stocking and Zaccheus Goodrich had:

(180) Lydia, b. March 18, 1761. m. Abner Callender.

(181) Zaccheus, b. August 18, 1762. m. Anne Bush, m. 2d Amanda Landon.

(182) Jonathan, b. January 9, 1764. m. Patty Herrick.

Zaccheus m. 1st Rachel Corning, April 5, 1750, who d. May 20, 1759, leaving children, Prudence, Rachel, and Lucy. He m. 3d — Butler; m. 4th — Bush.

76 George Stocking and Eunice Cobb had:

(183) George, b. March 27, 1748. d. young.

(184) George, b. May 15, 1750. m. December, 1771, Lois Hubbard.

(185) Caleb, b. August 3, 1752. m. June 23, 1769, Alice Williams.

(186) Hezekiah, b. December 25, 1754. d. young.

(187) Hezekiah, b. July 25, 1756. d. August 23, 1777.

(188) Nathaniel, b. June 21, 1759. d. August 23, 1777.

(189) Ansel, b. April 3, 1763. m. January 31, 1786, Prudence Crosby.

(190) Eunice, b. April 20, 1765.

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(191) Sabra, b. May 6, 1767. m. John Strong.

(192) Elisha, bap. April 8, 1770. m. March 15, 1789, Ann Ranney;
m. 2d, January 19, 1798, Rebecca Grover.

George was b. in Middle Haddam; rem. to Glastonbury in 1770. He served in the Rev. War, with rank of sergeant, in the "Lexington Alarm." His sons George and Hezekiah served at the same time, the latter from May 4 to December 10, 1775, Capt. John Chester's troop, Col. Joseph Spencer's 2d Regt. Continental Line.

George, with these two sons, and son Nathaniel, were killed by an explosion in a powder-mill at East Glastonbury, Conn., where they were making ammunition for the U. S. government, August 23, 1777. Wife Eunice was at the time returning from Boston, where she had gone on horseback to effect a sale of powder. When still many miles away, she heard the report and felt the shock of the explosion, and spurring on her horse, she reached the scene, her horse falling dead with exhaustion. Elisha, the youngest son, had been sent from the mill but a half-hour before on some errand, and so was saved to his bereaved mother. An old tea-kettle brought from Nova Scotia by Nathaniel and Eunice is still preserved as an interesting relic. On petition of Eunice, the legislature ordered "the heads of George and sons to be abated."

EPITAPH IN GLASTONBURY CEMETERY.

"These two monuments are
Sacred to Y^e Memory
of Mr. George Stocking,
who died in y^e 50th
Year of his age, & three sons
of him and Mrs. Eunice Stocking,
viz.: George, who died in y^e
28th, Hezekiah in y^e 22d,
and Nathaniel who died
in y^e 19th year of their age,
All on y^e 23d day of August,
A. D. 1777."

"These unfortunate persons were
Present at y^e Powder Mill in this
Place when it Accidentally took
Fire & Blew up, at which Time
They received their mortal wounds
& expired on y^e same day."

77 Capt. Abner Stocking and Ruth Higgins had:

- (193) Abner, b. January 2, 1753. m. February 20, 1777, Lidea Bowers.
- (194) Ruth, b. October 27, 1754. m. December 7, 1775, Lieut. Shubal Brooks.
- (195) Hannah, b. September 11, 1756. m. October 25, 1774, Eleazer Bates.
- (196) William, b. July 1, 1758.
- (197) James, b. June 24, 1760. Rev. soldier.
- (198) Amasa, b. December 24, 1763. m. Mercy —.
- (199) Rev. Jeremiah, b. December 8, 1767. m. September 19, 1790, Polly Wood; m. 2d widow Abigail Ames, who d. April 17, 1857.
- (200) Rev. Benjamin, bap. July 15, 1770. m. August, 1789, Damaris Shaler, of Haddam.
- (201) Alexander, bap. January 10, 1773. m. 1st Hannah Day; 2d, November 16, 1821, Polly Graham, of Chatham, Conn.

Capt. Abner resided in Middle Haddam, Conn., and was a sea-captain. He enlisted May 6, 1775, in Capt. Ezekiel Scott's Second Company, Brig. Gen. Joseph Spencer's 2d Regt.; marched to Roxbury, Mass.; assisted at the siege of Boston; fought at Bunker Hill; was detached and assigned to the forces in Arnold's expedition against Quebec; was taken prisoner by the British, December 31, 1775, and after his release was honorably discharged. In the Revolution he sailed from New York in command of a privateer, and was one of the leaders in the Point Judith Expedition; was commissioned captain of the Sixth Company, 23d Regt., Connecticut Militia, "Alarm List," April, 1780.

78 John Stocking and Priscilla Mayo had:

- (202) Mary, b. September 6, 1754.
- (203) Timothy, b. June 13, 1756. Rev. soldier.
- (204) John, Jr., b. May 7, 1759.
- (205) Daniel, b. January 15, 1761. Rev. soldier.
- (206) Israel, b. November 25, 1763. Rev. soldier.
- (207) Lucy, b. April 28, 1767.
- (208) Joseph, b. July 24, 1769.
- (209) Alvin, b. July 24, 1771.

John rem. from Middle Haddam, Conn., in 1757, to Sandisfield, Mass. He d. December 9, 1818.

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79 Mary Stocking and George Hubbard had:

- (210) George, b. August 17, 1758. d. November 29, 1838.
 - (211) Mehitable, b. February 16, 1762. d. October 9, 1800.
 - (212) Jesse, b. June, 1764. d. November 5, 1844.
 - (213) Elias, b. August 26, 1766. d. May 5, 1810.
 - (214) Asa, b. January 13, 1769.
 - (215) Zadok, b. January 6, 1771. d. February 8, 1860.
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80 Hezekiah Stocking and Harriet Williams had:

- (216) Hezekiah, b. ——. m. 1801, Nancy Rathbone.
- (217) Dorothy, b. ——. m. Daniel Rathbone; res. Marshall, Mich.
- (218) Ellis, b. ——. m. ——. Bates; m. 2d ——. Res. Phelpstown, N. Y.
- (219) Nathaniel, b. February 19, 1781. m. December 24, 1804, Camilla Carpenter.

Hezekiah was b. in Middle Haddam, and rem. to Springfield, Otsego Co., N. Y., in 1801, where he d.

81 Lucia (Lucy) Stocking and Sylvanus Higgins had:

- (220) Sabra, b. July 26, 1762.
 - (221) James, b. May 2, 1766.
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83 Reuben Stocking and Sarah Hurlbut had:

- (222) Reuben, b. August 20, 1766.
- (223) Samuel, b. December 17, 1767. m. April 7, 1789, Mary Ann Belden.
- (224) Lucy, b. November 22, 1769.
- (225) Steven, b. March 24, 1771. m. December 1, 1793, Mehitable Swift.
- (226) Sally, b. September 6, 1773; m. September 21, 1791, Joel Bradford.
- (227) Vinia, b. June 9, 1776. m. Solon Ramsdell.

- (228) Hezekiah, b. November 8, 1778. m. Lois Carter.
- (229) George, b. September 30, 1781. m. September 10, 1802, Fanny Hurd.
- (230) Fanny, b. August 28, 1784. d. young.
- (231) Fanny, b. April 7, 1789. m. Nathan Richmond, of Fairfield, N. Y.

Reuben was b. in Middle Haddam, Conn.; rem. to Enfield, Conn., and thence to Chardon, O., where he d. October 25, 1828. He served as lieutenant on the privateer *Sampson* in the Rev. War; was taken prisoner and confined in a British prison ship in N. Y. harbor, and finally released after suffering great hardships. He was subsequently captured by Algerine pirates in the Mediterranean, loaded with chains, and held for a ransom; being eventually released through the vigorous operations of Commodore Decatur. Sarah d. at Hambdon, O., February 24, 1840, aged 96.

86 Lydia Stocking and Lemuel Smith had:

- (232) Simon, m. Ruth Mayhew (Mayo). d. at Middle Haddam.
- (233) Betsey, m. — Allison. d. at Ashfield, Mass.
- (234) Jonathan, d. at Ashfield, Mass.
- (235) Samuel, res. Columbiaville, N. Y.
- (236) Lydia, m. — Higgins. Res. Hamilton, N. Y.
- (237) Constant, February 25, 1759.
- (238) Eleanor, b. July 23, 1760. m. October, 1782, Paul Sears. She d. August 3, 1824.
- (239) Jemima, m. Jonas Griffith; m. 2d Phineas Bennet, res. Ashfield, Mass.
- (240) Electa, b. 1782. m. 1802, Ethan A. Clary. She d. September 27, 1891.

Lydia rem. from Middle Haddam to Ashfield, Mass., in 1790, and d. there 1817.

88 Lamberton Stocking and Sarah — had:

- (241) Timothy, b. June 24, 1764.
- (242) Mary, b. February 16, 1767.
- (243) Sarah, b. June 18, 1770.

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(244) Lamberton, b. June 23, 1775. d. 1778.

(245) Abigail, b. March 26, 1777.

(246) Elizabeth, b. March 26, 1777.

(247) Lucinda, b. February 24, 1778.

Lamberton res. in Middle Haddam. Wife Sarah d. July 3, 1778, and he m. 2d, April 21, 1779, Mehitable Young. He served on the brig *Freedom* in Rev. War, Capt. John Cluster, August 25 to December 18, 1777.

89 Elizabeth Stocking and Jonathan Brainerd had:

(248) Jonathan, b. August 1, 1762.

(249) Jeremiah, b. April 14, 1765.

(250) Jabin, b. May 15, 1768.

(251) Elizabeth, b. August 13, 1775.

(252) Samuel, b. February 22, 1778.

(253) Sallie, b. April 16, 1780.

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92 Capt. Thomas Stocking and Elizabeth Hurd had:

(254) Joseph, bap. December 13, 1772. d. young.

(255) Joseph, b. March 18, 1774; m. January 9, 1806, Betsey Robbins;
m. 2d Sarah B. Sheldon.

(256) Samuel, b. June 10, 1777. m. September 14, 1806, Phœbe
Sheldon.

(257) Mary Elizabeth, b. May 8, 1780. m. September 14, 1806, James
Root.

(258) Jared, b. 1784. m. Elizabeth Rogers.

(259) Michael, b. 1786. d. October 5, 1820. Res. Pittsfield, Mass.

(260) Lavinia, b. 1788. d. November 5, 1811. unm.

Capt. Thomas was b. in Middle Haddam; rem. to Ashfield, Mass., in 1790, thence to Lenox, and d. at Pittsfield, June 2, 1837. He was captain of militia. Elizabeth was b. March 4, 1753, and d. November 1, 1832.

96 Daniel Stocking and Sarah Gould had:

(261) Mary Ann, bap. March 5, 1752. m. David White.

(262) Jozeb, bap. January 16, 1755. m. Anna Sheldon.

(263) Daniel, b. July 24, 1756. d. next day.

(264) Sarah.

Wife Sarah d. August 9, 1756, and Daniel m. 2d, November 9, 1757,
Bethia Kirby. They had:

(265) Daniel, bap. May 6, 1759. d. November 25, 1776.

(266) Sarah, bap. September 21, 1760. m. October 14, 1787, Nicholas
Fox, of East Hartford.

(267) Samuel, bap. January 6, 1762. m. January 16, 1790, Susannah
Morrison.

(268) Seth, bap. February 12, 1764. m. Hannah Pratt.

(269) Abigail, bap. October 27, 1767. m. September 16, 1785, Thomas
Clark.

(270) Clarissa, bap. November 12, 1769. m. March 29, 1799, Saxa
Hooker, of Kensington, Conn.

(271) Huldah, bap. April 5, 1772. m. March 29, 1795, Siras Wilcox.

(272) John, bap. October 30, 1774. m. April 5, 1801, Betsey Edwards.

Daniel res. in Upper Middletown; was a teacher of such celebrity that
he was called "Master Stocking." He d. December 24, 1800.

Wife Sarah was dau. of Rev. Hezekiah Gould, of Stratford, Conn. Wife
Bethia was dau. of John and Hannah (Stowe) Kirby, of Middletown. She
d. January 14, 1823, aged 91.

99 Lydia Stocking and Capt. Samuel Treat had:

(273) Patience, bap. September 1, 1765. d. January 4, 1817.

(274) Isaac, bap. October 19, 1776. Blown up in powder-mill, August
23, 1777, Glastonbury, Conn.

(275) Samuel, bap. February 19, 1769. d. young.

(276) Mabel, bap. November 4, 1770. m. June 16, 1791, Simeon
Daniels.

(277) Samuel, bap. July 26, 1772.

(278) Roxana, bap. March 26, 1775. d. young.

(279) Mercy, bap. January 5, 1777. d. young.

(280) Mercy, b. April 19, 1779. m. September 23, 1804, Horace King.
She d. April 4, 1871.

(281) Olive, bap. June 10, 1781.

(282) Roxana, b. July, 1783. m. May, 1813, Ashbel Terry. She d.
April 30, 1845.

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(283) Isaac, bap. March 8, 1786. d. young.

(284) Silas, b. 1787. d. June 20, 1758. unm.

Capt. Treat res. in Glastonbury; was a sea captain, and was lost at sea in the West Indies, 1790.

102 Luther Stocking and Sarah Goodrich had:

(285) Ansel, b. 1776. m. Elvira Stanley.

(285A) Alfred, b. —.

Res. rem. from Upper Middletown to Kensington, Conn. Wife Sarah was from New Britain, Conn.

103 John Stocking and Sarah Winchell had:

(286) Sarah, bap. October 24, 1784. m. William Gilbert.

(287) John, bap. October 24, 1784. m. Deborah Sage.

(288) Anson, b. December 21, 1786. m. April 10, 1810, Phila Miles;
m. 2d, March 15, 1825, Flora Coe.

(289) Candace, bap. June 14, 1789. m. Lyman Leach. Six children.
Res. Lyons, N. Y.

John Stocking served in the Rev. War in Capt. James Arnold's 9th Co., Col. David Wooster's 1st Regt. Continental Line; also corporal in Maj. John Skinner's Co. Light Horse Inf., and in Maj. Sheldon's Regt. Light Horse; discharged December 24, 1776. He d. December 9, 1794, in Berlin, Conn. Sarah d. September 10, 1846, in Torrington, Conn.

111 Lucy Stocking and Thomas Kirby had:

(290) Giles, b. 1756. d. August 7, 1776. Lost at sea.

(291) Abel, bap. February 26, 1758. d. March 5, 1775.

(292) Lucy, b. September 23, 1760. m. Wm. Hanlin.

(293) Thomas, b. February 7, 1762. m. Rebecca Hanlin; m. 2d, Jane Brown.

(294) George, b. May 3, 1764. d. at sea, October 18, 1778.

(295) Samuel, b. February 16, 1771. m. Abigail Sage.

(296) Miles, b. February 2, 1772. d. July 31, 1859. m. Phoebe Camp;
m. 2d Abigail Seward.

- (297) Mary, b. January 10, 1773. m. Ralph Smith.
- (298) Grace, b. January 17, 1775. m. October 11, 1837, Miles Merwin.
She d. August 13, 1856.
- (299) Zebulon, b. February 25, 1776. m. Louisa Gibson.
- (300) Giles, b. June 16, 1777. m. Lucy Spencer.
- (301) Reuben, b. September 5, 1778. m. Molly Butler.
- (302) Betsey, b. July 11, 1779. m. April 3, 1816, Elisha Treat. She d.
July 8, 1861.

Mr. Thomas Kirby was a descendant, in the fourth generation, of John Kirby, who came to this country from Rivington, Warwickshire, Eng., in the ship *Hopewell*, 1635, at the age of 12 years. He first settled in Boston; rem. to Hartford in 1640, thence to Wethersfield, where he owned a homestead until 1652. He then became one of the original settlers and proprietors of Mattabessett (Middletown), and accumulated a large property, and raised a family of eleven children, whose descendants mostly reside near the old homestead. Mr. John Kirby d. March, 1677; Thomas Kirby d. July 29, 1810; Lucy Stocking, his wife, d. November 28, 1818.

112 Sarah Stocking and Nathaniel Savage had:

- (303) John, b. December 16, 1760.
- (304) Rachel, b. September 12, 1762.
- (305) David, b. May 6, 1764.

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113 Submit Stocking and Hezekiah Goodrich had:

- (306) Hezekiah, b. December 28, 1771. m. Millicent Holcomb.
- (307) Josiah, b. January 6, 1773. d. June 7, 1803.
- (308) Elizur, b. April 8, 1775.
- (309) Mary, b. September 27, 1777. d. December 4, 1840.
- (310) Lucy, b. January 18, 1880. d. March 21, 1813.
- (311) Sarah, b. March 20, 1782.
- (312) Sophronia, b. May 3, 1784. d. January 25, 1815.

Submit d. September 13, 1786, and Hezekiah m. 2d Anna Southmayd. He was deputy to the General Court, 1790-1806, and 1809-1812. He d. April 20, 1817. Res. Chatham, Conn.

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114 Capt. Zebulon Stocking and Martha Edwards had:

(313) Lucy, b. May 5, 1765. m. April 30, 1788, Hezekiah Warner.

(314) David, bap. May 1, 1767.

(315) Lucretia, bap. February 17, 1769. m. May 2, 1790, Hezekiah Kirby.

(316) Martha, bap. March 17, 1771; m. July 9, 1792, Israel Kelsey Kirby.

(317) Harriet, bap. November 28, 1773.

Capt. Zebulon res. in Upper Middletown, where he d. April 15, 1783; was a sea captain. Martha Edwards was dau. of David Edwards, Jr. She d. November 14, 1790.

119 Elisha Stocking and Susannah Hamlin had:

(318) Elisha, b. 1797. d. October 9, 1853. unm.

(319) Henry, m. November 24, 1830, Caroline Belcher.

Elisha, Sr., res. in Upper Middletown, where he d. March 10, 1826. Susannah d. August 13, 1825. Elisha served in the Rev. War, Capt. Eli Butler's Co., Maj. Sheldon's Regt. Light Horse Troop.

120 William Stocking and Elizabeth — had:

(320) Betsey, bap. July 22, 1782.

(321) William, bap. August 7, 1782. d. April 7, 1787.

(322) Luther, bap. July 3, 1783. m. 1809, Almira E. Stanley.

(323) Nancy, bap. November 28, 1784.

(324) Fanny, b. November 1, 1785. m. September 15, 1808, William White.

(324A) William, d. August 13, 1787.

Elizabeth d. November 8, 1787, and William m. 2d, January 8, 1791, Anna Olcott. They had:

(325) William, b. November 2, 1792. He d. at sea. unm.

(326) George, b. February 11, 1795. m. September 20, 1821, Sarah Pelton.

William lived in Upper Middletown, where he d. July 3, 1795. Anna was from Hartford, b. March 10, 1763. d. December 23, 1856.

122 Abraham Stocking and Abigail (Nabby) Smith had:

- (327) Joseph, b. 1782. m. Jane Fisher.
- (328) George, b. May 23, 1784. m. May 15, 1809, Ann Toby; m. 2d, December 16, 1840, widow Mary Jackson Shippey.
- (329) Roswell, b. July, 1786. m. September 18, 1814, Rosina Beau (Bow).
- (330) Herod, b. May 13, 1791. m. Lydia Ames.
- (331) Nabby (Abigail). m. Bethuel Ward; m. 2d John Taylor.

Abraham lived on the homestead at Ashfield, Mass., until the death of his parents, the loving care of whom devolved upon him as the oldest son. He then rem. to York, Livingston Co., N. Y., where he d. after 1832. He served in the Rev. War as private, September 22 to October 18, 1777, Capt. Ephraim Jennings' Co., Col. David Wells' Regt., in expedition to the Northwest.

124 Lemuel Stocking and Tamza — had:

- (332) Braddock, b. June 22, 1792. Rem. to Lansingburg, N. Y.
- (333) Loring, 1794. Res. West Richmond, N. Y.
- (334) Forny, b. September 7, 1796.
- (335) Samuel, b. January 17, 1799. m. April 14, 1825, Elizabeth Goodrich, of Pittsfield, Mass.

Tamza dying, Lemuel m. 2d, May 8, 1811, Ruth Ford. They had:

- (336) William.
- (337) Ruth, m. August 3, 1832, Jedediah Foster, of Volney, N. Y.

Lemuel rem. from Cromwell, Conn., to Ashfield, to retrieve his fortune lost by indorsing a note for a friend; thence to Lenox, Mass. He was prominent among the patriots of the Town, and five Tories were kept under guard in his house, marched to church on Sundays, and compelled to sit with their hands behind their back during divine service.

Lemuel served in the Rev. War from July 21, 1780, to January 21, 1781, in the 23d Division, under command of Col. Isaac Pope. In the muster roll of Brig. Gen. Patterson he is also called *Samuel*. Actual service performed in the Northern Department. He d. at Lenox, Mass., August 5, 1832, leaving a considerable estate, of which his son Samuel was executor.

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127 Amos Stocking and ——— had:

- (338) Amos, b. August 9, 1801. m. 1824 Theodocia Blair
- (339) Hannah, b. ———.
- (339A) Charles, b. 1807. m. Maria L. Dewey.
- (339B) Sarah.
- (339C) Statira.
- (339D) Emma.

Amos res. in Berkshire Co., Mass. He served in the Rev. War, August 12, 1781 to October 28, 1783, Capt. Oliver Shattuck's Co., Col. Barnabas' Regt.; was stationed at New London, Conn.

128 Sarah Stocking and Calvin Lazelle had:

- (340) Daniel, b. March 15, 1787.
- (341) Jared, b. April 4, 1789.
- (342) Elizabeth, b. October 16, 1790.
- (343) Joseph, b. March 5, 1793.
- (344) George, b. April 14, 1795.
- (345) Sarah, b. March 12, 1797.
- (346) George, b. May 13, 1799.
- (347) Thomas, b. March 25, 1801.
- (348) Electa, b. April 4, 1803.
- (349) Calvin, b. March 25, 1805.
- (350) Lucy, b. April 11, 1809.
- (351) Huldah, b. November 10, 1811.
- (352) Chloe Ann, b. April 28, 1813.

Res. Ashfield, Mass., and Niles, N. Y.

129 Eber Stocking and Olive Sage had:

- (353) Sylvester, b. May 7, 1787. m. February 23, 1811, Martha Brainerd Clark.

Eber was b. in Chatham, Conn., and d. there August 26, 1826. He served six years in the Continental army, enlisting June 19, 1775, as private in Capt. Jonathan Johnson's Co., Col. Philip Burr Bradley's Regt., Gen. Wadsworth's Brigade; re-enlisted for the war March 25, 1777; ser-

geant of Capt. Joseph Wright's Co., Col. Henry Swift's 2d Regt. Continental Line, and was a pensioner after 1818. He was never wounded, though one corner of his cartridge-box was shot away. Among his many experiences in those troubled times was that of waking one morning to find the hard earth on which he had been sleeping covered with deep snow, through which the warm breath of himself and his companions had forced air-holes. The blanket in which he slept is still preserved by Mrs. Nathaniel O. Cornwall, his great-granddaughter. Wife Olive was dau. of John Sage, Upper Middletown, Conn.

130 Steven Stocking and Sarah Hills had:

(354) Elijah, bap. 1780.

132 Jonathan Stocking and Polly Allen had:

(355) Child, b. December 13, 1786.

Res. rem. from Chatham to N. Y. State. He enlisted for the entire war, October 12, 1777; corporal, July 1, 1780; sergeant, November 1, 1780; discharged April 15, 1782; served under Lafayette in Capt. Jonathan Heart's Co., Maj. John P. Wylly's Battalion. He d. October 16, 1817.

133 David Stocking and Phœbe Cook had:

(356) Steven Hall, b. November 2, 1805. m. Elizabeth A. Everts.

He d. April 4, 1887. She d. 1892.

(357) Eliza Ann, b. April 15, 1811. m. Joel Hall, of Portland, Conn.

(358) James Cook, b. May 24, 1817. m. January 27, 1848, Jane Foster. d. in Richmond, Va., January 14, 1883.

David was a school teacher, b. in Chatham, Conn.; rem. South for his health, teaching in Beaufort, N. C., in 1792, and in Augusta, Ga., in 1801.

147 Rachel Stocking and Senior Beach had:

(358A) Anna, b. November 30, 1782. m. Silas Wedge.

(358B) Barnias, b. March 21, 1784. m. Sylvia Hamilton.

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- (359) Candace, b. March 30, 1786. m. Dexter Parker.
 (360) Denis, b. June 28, 1788.
 (361) Amanda, b. May 15, 1792. m. February 16, 1812, Thomas Givins, Jr., of Clarence, N. Y.
 (362) Alida, b. April 7, 1794. d. young.
 (363) Lovel, b. July 26, 1796. m. Harriet Prescott. He d. February 19, 1825.
 (364) Horatio, b. March 30, 1799. d. 1820.
 (365) Cynthia, b. April 26, 1802. d. young.
 (366) Luna, b. September 21, 1804.
 (367) Truman Marsh, b. April 2, 1809. d. 1810.

Rachel was b. July 22, 1762. Mr. Beach was b. April 8, 1760. Res. in Litchfield, Conn., and Hartwick, N. Y. Rachel m. 2d Ephraim Camp.

150 Samuel Stocking and Mrs. Young had:

- (368) Chloe, 1780.
 (369) Nathaniel, b. January 22, 1782. m. December 4, 1804, Elizabeth Stannard.

Samuel res. in Haddam Neck, where he d. before 1790. He served in the Rev. War, Capt. Churchill's Co., Col. Comfort Sage's Regt.

151 John and Deborah Hurlbut had:

- (370) Joseph, 1786.

John was a sea captain. He served in the Rev. War on a privateer; was taken prisoner by the British, and confined for six months in a prison ship in New York harbor. At the end of the war he rem. from Chatham, Conn., to Hudson, N. Y., thence to Broome Co., settling finally in Sullivan Co., where he d. August 26, 1830. His widow d. in Shelby, N. Y., May 21, 1845.

154 Elijah Stocking, Jr., and Mary Sage had:

- (371) Daniel, b. 1796. m. April 13, 1817, Mary Pease.
 (372) Joel, rem. to Ohio and d. there.

- (373) John, b. 1811. m. Frances Hurd.
- (374) Sarah, b. ——. m. 1st Andrew Shepard; m. 2d Orlanza Loveland. She d. June 22, 1890.
- (375) Delia, b. 1818. m. Job Hurlbut, of Middletown.
- (376) George, b. July 29, 1820. m. Catherine Hurlbut. She m. 2d, April 24, 1872, Edward Edwards.
- (377) Eleazur, b. November 25, 1821. m. Melanctha Case, of Chatham, Conn. He was drowned in Ohio.

Res. Portland, Conn. Mary was b. 1773, and d. September 29, 1852. Elijah, Jr., d. November 4, 1852.

162 Marshall Stocking and Anna Bartlett are not known to have had children.

Marshall enlisted May 8, 1775, Capt. Samuel Wylly's 2d Co., Col. Joseph Spencer's 2d Regt. Conn. Vol.; private in Capt. Abijah Savage's Co., Col. Henry Sherburne's Regt., March 3, 1778; transferred to Invalid Corps, April 5, 1781; served in Co. of Capt. Edward Bulkley and Capt. Ebenezer Hill, Col. Webb's 3d Regt., in 1782, in and around Cambridge, Mass.

165 Samuel Stocking and ——— had:

- (378) Elizabeth, bap. August 16, 1793. m. December 23, 1812, Elijah Blodgett, of Scantis, Conn.

Res. East Windsor, Conn.

171 Sarah Stocking and Gideon Hurlbut had:

- (379) Annis.
- (380) Chauncey, b. August 15, 1780.
- (381) Sally.
- (382) Phœbe.
- (383) Louisa, bap. July 27, 1783, in Chatham, Conn. She d. 1801.
- (384) Asaph, b. October 21, 1785, Chatham.
- (385) Benjamin.

(386) Lyman, res. Downsville, N. Y.

(387) Chloe.

(388) Rachel.

Sarah d. December 23, 1841. Gideon d. June 26, 1835, in Durham, N. Y., where he rem. in 1789, from Portland, Conn.

172 Moses Stocking and Elizabeth Pelton had:

(389) Alexander, b. October 24, 1786. d. young.

(390) Phoebe, b. March 16, 1788. m. — Stillman, of Erie, Pa.

(391) Child, d. young.

Moses res. in Chatham, Conn., and Sheffield, Mass.; served in the Revolution; was in the campaign around New York in 1776, and at Peekskill, March to June, 1777, Capt. Joseph Churchill's 8th Co., Col. Comfort Sage's 3d Battalion, Wadsworth's Brigade, and in other Cos. and Regts. He was also in the marine service under the command of Paul Jones.

174 Grace Stocking and Othniel Brainerd had:

(392) Othniel, b. May 23, 1784.

178 Reuben Stocking and Elizabeth Rowley Isham had:

(393) Lucy, b. June 11, 1801. m. Henry Spalding.

(394) Phoebe, b. January 8, 1803. d. March 5, 1810, at New Berlin, N. Y.

(395) Philo Washburn, b. November 10, 1804. m. February 13, 1834, Nancy J. G. Reynolds.

(396) Fanny Stuart, b. January 3, 1807. m. Anson Torpy.

(397) Benjamin Trumbull, b. November 11, 1808. d. August 10, 1822.

(398) Phoebe Maria, b. February 12, 1811. m. Dr. S. P. Choate.

(399) Moses, b. April 7, 1813. m. September 10, 1838, Anna Loomis.

(400) John Isham, b. May 27, 1815. d. December 2, 1889. m. Polly Wisner Clark, October 15, 1845; m. 2d Mrs. Fanny (Loomis) Brown.

- (401) Daniel Nash, b. March 5, 1817. m. March 7, 1843, Eleanor A. Gill.
- (402) Mary, b. January 21, 1819. m. September 4, 1842, Edward Arnold.
- (403) Nancy, b. June 2, 1821. d. young.
- (404) Reuben, b. February 3, 1823. d. young.
- (405) Nancy Ann, b. April 7, 1825. m. William Garrison.

Reuben was b. in Middletown, Conn., and rem. to New Berlin, Chenango Co., N. Y., in 1809. Having met with business misfortunes, he rem. to Monroe Co., in February, 1819, where he rented a farm. In 1822 he pushed on to Genesee Co., and purchased a tract of 110 acres, in working which he had a stout struggle against adverse surroundings. Merchandise had to be brought in wagons from Albany, wheat was but 25 cents a bushel; schools were few and inefficient, and a large family taxed Reuben's energies to the utmost. Here he spent many laborious years, rem. eventually to Flowerfield, Mich., where he d. August 10, 1846. Elizabeth was the step-daughter of Isaac Isham, of Colchester, Conn. b. January 3, 1781; d. in Flowerfield, September 25, 1839.

184 George Stocking and Lois Hubbard had:

- (406) Lucy, b. July 11, 1772. m. — Hobby, res. New York City.
- (407) Oliver, b. December 6, 1773.
- (408) Howell, b. January 7, 1776. m. September 19, 1795, Mary Gilbert.
- (409) George Abner, b. April 21, 1777.

George res. in East Glastonbury, and was killed, with his father and two brothers, by the explosion of a powder-mill, August 23, 1777. He served in the Rev. War, "Lexington Alarm," Capt. Eleazur Hubbard's Co.

185 Caleb Stocking and Alice Williams had:

- (410) Alice, m. in Millerton, December 3, 1789, John Butler, of New London.

Caleb d. before 1794. Alice was from East Haddam, where she d. of consumption, October 25, 1794. They probably had other children, for in 1800, Elisha Stocking bought of Oliver Stocking, land "bordering on that of the heirs of Caleb Stocking."

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188 Nathaniel Stocking and ——— had:

(411) Eunice, b. 1777. m. November 26, 1796, David Savage.

Res. Glastonbury, Conn., where Nathaniel was killed by the explosion of a powder-mill, August 23, 1777.

189 Ansel Stocking and Prudence Crosby had:

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(413) Betsey, b. October 26, 1786.

(414) Nancy, b. November 11, 1788.

(415) Emily, b. December 3, 1791. m. October 13, 1811, Elisha Brandedge.

(416) Eunice, b. August 28, 1793.

(417) Sarah, b. January 12, 1795. m. John O. King, of Suffield, Conn.

Ansel res. in Glastonbury, Conn., where he d. 1798. Prudence was the dau. of John Crosby (or Crossley), of Chatham, Conn.

192 Elisha Stocking and Ann Ranney had:

(418) Harriet, b. January 5, 1790. d. October 2, 1816. m. ——— Bell.

(419) Chester O., b. February 9, 1792. m. November 3, 1790, Clarissa Lee.

(420) Cene, b. February 26, 1795. m. ——— Bell, her deceased sister's husband.

Wife Ann dying, Elisha m. 2d Rebecca, dau. of Phineas Grover.

Elisha was a school teacher, and later on engaged in the milling business. He res. in East Glastonbury, Conn.; was a member of the Episcopal Church, and his old prayer-book is now in the possession of the Rev. A. M. Stocking, Peoria, Ill. He d. August 8, 1819. Wife Rebecca d. March 28, 1820.

193 Abner Stocking and Lidea Bowers had:

(421) Child, 1778. d. 1782.

(422) Horates, bap. November 2, 1779.

Abner served in the Revolution; was with the American army at Roxbury, 1775; also in Arnold's Quebec Expedition the same year; was taken prisoner December 31, 1775, and published a journal of this expedition in Catskill, N. Y., 1810. Abner and Lidea were both from Middle Haddam, Conn., and rem. to Catskill, N. Y.

196 William Stocking

enlisted in the Continental army, Col. Fred. Huntington's 1st Regt., April 8, 1777, for three years; was promoted sergeant, July 1, 1789; discharged April 6, 1780. He d. before 1782.

197 James Stocking

served in the Revolution in Washington's army around New York, 1776, and was probably one of the crew of the privateer *Sampson*, which was captured by the British, for James d. while a prisoner in New York City, 1782.

198 Amasa Stocking and Mercy — had:

- (423) Horace, bap. October 6, 1793. m. Betsey Loomis, of Westfield, Mass.
- (424) James, bap. October 6, 1793. m. Mary Loomis, of Southwick, Mass.
- (425) Lucy, bap. October 6, 1793.
- (426) Betsey, bap. October 6, 1793. m. February 5, 1818, Ansel Wilcox.
- (427) Austin, b. December 12, 1792. m. 1811, Charlotte Rexford.
- (428) Russell, bap. March 30, 1794.
- (429) David, bap. March 30, 1794.

Amasa served in the Continental army, July 17 to December 4, 1780, Col. S. B. Webb's Regt. Res. Middle Haddam, Conn.

199 Rev. Jeremiah Stocking and Polly Wood had:

- (430) Sidney, b. March 17, 1792. m. May 1, 1810, Louisa Tennant.
- (431) Rev. Solon, b. July 16, 1793. m. July 4, 1812, Harriet Hurlburt.

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- (432) Septerius, b. July 15, 1795. m. January 1, 1822, Susan Strong; m. 2d, March 10, 1845, Jane Wilkinson.
- (433) Samantha, b. November 20, 1796. m. April 5, 1816, Asahel Strong.
- (434) Rev. Sophronius, b. February 17, 1798. m. Polly Matson.
- (435) Rev. Sevellius, b. September 10, 1799. m. 1822, Elizabeth Smith.
- (436) Serilla, b. November 6, 1800. m. January 1, 1822, Brazilla Buck; 2d, Rev. A. G. Bowker. She d. September 17, 1847.
- (437) Serenius Sabinas, b. July 13, 1804. m. October 8, 1826, Juliana Baker.
- (438) Rev. Selah, b. May 9, 1806. m. July 30, 1832, Mary Hayward Blood.
- (439) Dr. Sabin, b. December 6, 1807. m. Matilda Buck.
- (440) Rev. Sabura Stebbins, b. June 24, 1810. m. Sarah Mallory.

Rev. Jeremiah d. March 23, 1853. Rep. 1816-17.

Rev. Jeremiah was b. in Chatham, Conn. When but nine years old, he rem. to Haddam, and four years later he was put on board a privateer sailing out of New York, under the command of his father. At the close of the Rev. War, he learned a trade, worked at it until he was of age, and the year after married and removed to Glastonbury. His health being poor, he accepted the position of post-rider, which he filled with great efficiency and popularity for 25 years, going between Saybrook and Hartford, traveling on horseback 150,000 miles, and crossing the Connecticut River 8,500 times. He was a member of the legislature in 1816 and '17, was deeply interested in politics, and was an ardent Whig. It was his peculiarity to name all his children with the initial S.

In religion he was originally a severe Calvinist and Restorationist, but his thought, study, and natural piety led him to the M. E. Church, of which he was a widely known minister for 56 years. He organized the first M. E. parish in Eastbury, and at his death, in March, 1853, it was very flourishing. He was in his earlier ministry a keen, caustic, and controversial preacher, but in later years he became exceedingly genial and charitable, and was known all through Eastern Connecticut as "Father Stocking." He m. 2d widow Abigail Ames, who d. April 17, 1857.

200 Benjamin Stocking and Damaris Shaler had:

- (441) William, b. February 7, 1790. Lost at sea.
- (442) Hannah S., b. February 6, 1792. m. October 10, 1825, Ansel Strong.



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- (443) Hezekiah, b. March 11, 1794. m. Abigail Hubbard.
- (444) George Abner, b. October 11, 1796. m. December 26, 1813, Tryphena Coe.
- (445) David, b. August 14, 1798. m. —.
- (446) Jirah, b. October 12, 1800. m. Jerusha Chauncey.
- (447) Matilda, b. October 18, 1803. m. — Hill, of East Haddam.
- (448) Julius, b. October 18, 1806. m. ~~Julia~~ Whittlesey.
- (449) Sophia F., b. February 26, 1809. d. September 14, 1825.
- (450) Alfred, b. April 8, 1811. Rem. to Indiana.
- (451) Clarissa, b. August 2, 1813.

Rev. Benjamin was a Presbyterian minister. Res. Chatham, Conn., where he d. September 13, 1848, aged 78. Damaris d. May 25, 1841.

201 Alexander Stocking and Hannah Day had:

- (452) Vienna Brainerd, b. November 26, 1797. m. Dudley Brown.
- (453) Elisha Day, b. September 5, 1799. m. Amelia Stebbins.
- (454) Jefferson, b. October 12, 1800. d. young.
- (455) Burr, b. October 12, 1800. d. young.
- (456) Henry Brainerd, b. September 13, 1802. m. Abigail Sperry; m. 2d Eliza King.
- (457) Ann Sophia, b. October 10, 1804. m. Edwin Smith.
- (458) Sibyl Lamb, b. October 24, 1806. m. William Bodurtha.
- (459) Lorenzo Dow, b. July 30, 1808. d. May 5, 1825.
- (460) Hannah, b. June 30, 1810. m. Lyman Miller.
- (461) Adaline Kellogg, b. July 24, 1812. m. Lucius B. Fletcher; m. 2d, — Butcher; m. 3d, John Trask.
- (462) Harriet Maria, b. May 2, 1814. Smothered accidentally in infancy.
- (463) Alexander, b. September 17, 1817. m. October 16, 1836. Ann Patience Foster.
- (464) Samuel Michels, b. August 12, 1819. d. young.

Res. until 1805, Chatham; rem. to South Hadley, Mass., thence West Springfield, Wilbraham, Ludlow, and Springfield, Mass. Hannah Day was the dau. of Elisha and Sarah Stocking Day, of Colchester, Conn.; b. May 17, 1776, and a lineal descendant of the Rev. Robert Day and his wife, Mary, who came from Ipswich, Suffolk Co., Eng., in the ship *Elizabeth*, 1634, and whose descendant was also the Rev. Jeremiah Day, the second president of Yale College. After Hannah's death, October 26, 1821, Alexander m. 2d Polly Graham in 1827.

Alexander was for many years employed in the U. S. armory, Springfield, and in his later life he owned a farm in Montgomery, Mass., where he d. January 7, 1859. He is buried in the Peabody cemetery, Springfield, Mass. He was one of the founders of the First Universalist Society of Springfield, and a charter member of the old Hampden Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, his funeral services being conducted under their auspices. He is affectionately remembered as a man of great geniality of disposition and sterling integrity.

203 Timothy Stocking and ——— had:

(465) Billius, b. August 7, 1779. m. Patience Gray.

Timothy was b. in Sandisfield, Mass. He enlisted in the Continental army, April 28, 1775, for three years; served in Capt. Elijah Deming's Co., Col. Ashley's Berkshire Regt.; ordered to Stillwater by Gen. Gates; transferred to Capt. Joseph Hay's 3d Co., Col. Henry Jackson's Regt.; served also in Moses Soul's Co., Col. John Fellows' Regt., rank of corporal.

204 John Stocking, Jr.,

was b. in Sandisfield, Mass.; enlisted in the Continental army, December 4, 1775; was at Ticonderoga, November, 1776; served in Capt. Noah Soul's Co., Col. Asa Whitcomb's Regt.; corporal in Capt. Stephen Dewey's Co., and ensign in Col. John Smith's Regt.

205 Daniel Stocking

was b. in Sandisfield, Mass.; served three years in Rev. War, Capt. Enos Stone's Co., Col. Brewer's Regt., and was one of those who endured the hardship and suffering of Valley Forge.

206 Israel Stocking

was b. in Sandisfield, Mass. He was granted administration on the estate of James Fraser, of Pawlet, Vt., on which he had a claim of £427-10-02, shortly before October 13, 1795. The old signboard of

an inn, kept a century or more ago, and lettered, "I. STOCKING'S INN," was found some years since, indicating that Israel once kept this inn on the "Up Neck Road," near Hartford, Conn. He enlisted in the Continental army, Capt. Elijah Deming's Co., Col. Ashley's Berkshire Regt.; was ordered to Fort Edwards, and served July 8 to 28, 1777; re-enlisted for the war, serving in various regiments; was at Fishkill and Peekskill in the operations along the Hudson River, ranking as matross (artillery private); reported to have deserted, November 25, 1779, but this must have been an error, for he is reported soon after as drawing pay for military service up to December, 1781, more than four years after enlistment, and he was, moreover, a pensioner July 28, 1818. He d. the same year, December 19th.

216 Hezekiah Stocking and Nancy Rathbone had:

- (466) Henry, d. young.
- (467) Otis Isam, b. November 13, 1806. m. 1826, Prudence Thayer.
- (468) Charles Rathbone, b. January 28, 1810. m. July 26, 1845, Margaret Ann Renry.
- (469) Alsina, b. ——. m. Lyman Darling. Rem. to Ohio and d. 1854.
- (470) Daniel Azen, b. January 3, 1819. m. 1845, Lucy E. Coleman.

Hezekiah was b. in Middle Haddam, and in 1801 rem. to Springfield, Otsego Co., N. Y., with his wife and parents. He settled soon after in the township now known as Monticello. In 1837 he went to Michigan with one William Pattin, for the purpose of erecting buildings, and he d. in 1839, either at Bay City, or at Adrian, Mich. Interred at Novi Corners, Mich. Nancy res. in Springfield, N. Y., until 1859, when she rem. to Ohio with her son Daniel, dying there in 1862.

219 Nathaniel Stocking and Camilla Carpenter had:

- (471) Camilla Carpenter, b. November 15, 1805. m. Owen Sayles. d. 1843 at Somerset, N. Y.
- (472) Dorothy, b. April 28, 1807. d. May 5, 1834.
- (473) Charles Carpenter, b. August 17, 1808. m. January 21, 1834, Lydia Louisa Loomis; m. 2d, December 27, 1849, Mrs. Mary Willard.
- (474) Emeline, b. March 4, 1810.

- (475) Juliette, b. October 24, 1811. d. September 15, 1837, at Somerset, N. Y.
- (476) Phœbe C., b. May 23, 1813.
- (477) Deliza, b. June 29, 1815.
- (478) Julius, b. September 20, 1817. d. young, at Coventry, Conn.
- (479) Rosetta, b. August 9, 1819. m. 1st — Wright; m. 2d — Miller.

Nathaniel d. at Royalton, N. Y., September, 1857. Camilla was b. at Coventry, Conn., March 7, 1779. She was the dau. of Josiah Carpenter. Nathaniel was b. at Coventry, New London Co., Conn., where his parents had taken up land as soon as the township received its charter. His early education was limited, as he was obliged to divide his time between the common country school and the combined trades of carpenter and blacksmith. By industry and frugality, he became the owner of a farm, working it in summer, and plying his trade in winter. Being a diligent reader, he increased his scanty stock of knowledge until he became a good scholar. His religious nature made him a constant student of the Bible, and in early life he became a devout and faithful member of the Presbyterian Church.

Soon after his marriage to Camilla Carpenter, the daughter of his neighbor, he removed to Cherry Valley, N. Y., and in 1805, to Trenton Falls, where he worked at his trade. Many Indians lived in and around the place, and many amusing stories are told of their astonishment and delight at the flying sparks and red-hot iron which they were inquisitive enough to handle, and quick enough to drop. From Trenton Falls, Nathaniel moved to East Springfield, Otsego Co., N. Y., where he engaged in farming, and worked at his trade for nearly thirty years. His children were born in this township, and soon after the marriage of his oldest daughter, in the thirties, he followed her to Somerset, Niagara Co., N. Y., taking with him his two youngest daughters. His wife, Camilla, was an old-fashioned, efficient housekeeper, a severe but just disciplinarian, a devoted mother, and beloved by the entire community for her philanthropy. When, in 1840, the black erysipelas scourged the town, Camilla Stocking was an angel of mercy to her afflicted neighbors. Nathaniel fell a victim to the disease, and she devoted herself to him with such untiring care that, while he recovered, she was herself stricken down and died. Dividing his property among his children, now all married, he spent the rest of his life with his son, where, after a long illness, endured with patience and sweetness of temper, he peacefully closed up an honorable career in 1857 at Reynold's Basin, Royalton, N. Y. He served in the War of 1812, Capt. Dutcher's Co., N. Y. Regt.

223 Samuel Stocking and Mary Ann Belden had:

- (480) Almira, b. May 5, 1793. d. April 13, 1800.
- (481) Marion, b. May 5, 1793. d. November 23, 1793.
- (482) Emily Amelia, b. October 12, 1794. m. September 20, 1821, Eli English.
- (483) Sarah Ann, b. May 21, 1797. m. Harvey Chapin, of Springfield, Mass.
- (484) Caroline Ramsdell, b. July 7, 1799. m. April 15, 1824, Jacob Carter.
- (485) Almira, b. October 25, 1801. m. John Petrie, of Hartland, Vt.
- (486) Mary Ann, b. November 4, 1804. m. February 16, 1831, George Petrie.

Wife Mary Ann d. May 13, 1805, and Samuel m. 2d
Madame Irene de Mont Fredi, in 1806. They
had:

- (487) Julia Belden, b. October 23, 1807. m. Edward McLaine, of New Philadelphia.
- (488) Dr. Samuel Marvin, b. May 11, 1809. m. Caroline A. Winchell.
- (489) Charles, b. 1813. m. Jane Winchell.
- (490) Hester Ann, b. 1815. m. — Follingsby, of Ill.

Samuel was an extensive ship-builder in Middle Haddam, Conn. He also res. in Hartford, Suffield, and Enfield, Conn., and then rem. to Cleveland and New Hagerstown, O. Samuel was killed by being thrown from a carriage by runaway horses in 1847, while on a visit to his son.

Mary Ann, first wife, was a niece of Sir Thomas Belden, of England, who spent some years in Hartford, Conn., and built the old Belden House on the north side of the city. Had his niece survived him, she would have inherited his estates as Lady Mary Ann.

Samuel's second wife was a Frenchwoman of considerable property. She owned a market garden near Hartford, and did a thriving business. In some records she is called Urania.

228 Hezekiah Stocking and Lois Carter had:

- (491) Francis, b. —. m. Lois Levin.
- (492) Lavinia, b. October 29, 1808. m. Augustus Sisson.
- (493) Lyman, b. April 9, 1813. m. February 26, 1836, Elizabeth Hendrickson.

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- (494) Julia, b. August 12, 1818. m. B. Squires; m. 2d D. R. Arnold
No child. d. at Willoughby, O., January 4, 1867.
(495) Charles, b. —. m. Leonora Turner.

Wife Lois was b. in Suffield, Conn., 1783, and d. 1840. Hezekiah rem. from Suffield, Conn., in 1780, to Hampden, Geauga Co., Ohio, where he d. 1840.

229 George Stocking and Fanny Hurd had:

- (496) William Hurd, b. 1803. m. Harriet Rebecca Elliot; m. 2d
Grace Comstock; m. 3d Elizabeth Burroughs.
(497) Patrick Newell, b. December 5, 1806. m. May 21, 1828, Susan
Penfield.
(498) George Humphrey. m. Amanda —. d. in Lincoln, Neb.
(499) Statira Janette, b. —. m. Levi Eaton.
(500) Clarissa Mary, b. 1828. m. Abram Oxer.
(501) Caroline Matilda, b. 1817. m. Hiram Crane.
(502) James Randall, b. —. m. Celestia Lord.

All of the above children were bap. in the church in Enfield, Conn., June 16, 1822. Fanny was from Middle Haddam. George d. December 24, 1823, "of an inscrutable disease in his head."

255 Dea. Joseph Stocking and Betsey Robbins had:

- (503) Eliza, b. October 22, 1806. d. young.
(504) Thomas Robbins, b. July 4, 1809. m. May 26, 1835, Julia A.
Bidwell.

Betsey d. at Utica, N. Y., April 30, 1810. Joseph
m. 2d, Sarah B. Sheldon, October 19, 1820.
They had:

- (505) Elizabeth, b. July 25, 1822. m. December 11, 1842, Elias A.
Lewis.
(506) Joseph, b. February 6, 1825. d. in Buffalo, February 10, 1839.
(507) Sarah, b. January 7, 1829. d. young.

Wife Betsey was b. at Pittsfield, Mass., May 9, 1786; 2d wife, Sarah, was b. at Williamstown, Mass., November 27, 1788. Rem. to Springfield, Otsego Co., N. Y. Joseph rem. to Buffalo, where he carried on an extensive hat and fur trade. He d. September 4, 1835.

256 Samuel Stocking and Phœbe Sheldon had:

- (508) Mary Sheldon, b. September 2, 1807. m. October 26, 1826, Josiah Marshall.
- (509) James Madison, b. November 24, 1809. m. 1831, Caroline Metcalf.
- (510) Elizabeth H. H., b. February 11, 1813. d. May 28, 1892. unm.
- (511) Phœbe, b. August 3, 1818. d. young.
- (512) Caroline, b. October 24, 1819. d. young.
- (513) Cornelia, C., b. October 24, 1819. m. October 2, 1851, W. P. Clark.
- (514) Phœbe Theresa, b. March 7, 1824. m. February 10, 1853, John Stitt, of Chicago.

Samuel was b. in Ashfield, Mass.; rem. to Utica, June 10, 1803, and d. there March 1, 1858. He engaged in the hat and fur business, and amassed a handsome fortune, owning at his death more than half of the present site of Utica. He was of a quiet and domestic disposition, a patriotic and liberal citizen, though averse to politics, and a stout-hearted churchman, and beloved by his fellow-citizens. Fraud in the administration of his estate is said to have deprived his heirs of their just rights. Phœbe was b. October 15, 1780, and d. December 15, 1854.

257 Mary Elizabeth Stocking and James Root had:

- (515) E. H., b. October 30, 1801. m. Levi Childs, of Pittsfield, Mass.

258 Jared Stocking and Elizabeth Rogers had:

- (516) Samuel, m. December 19, 1854, Frances Jane Bates.
- (517) George.
- (518) Jane, m. Capt. Hamilton, of the British army. Res. St. Catherine, Ontario.

Jared rem. to Niagara, Ont., thence to St. Catherine, Ont., in 1854, where he conducted a very successful wholesale grocery and liquor business. He returned to Niagara, where he d. about 1878.

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261 Mary Ann Stocking and David White had:

- (519) Sally, b. November 24, 1777. m. February 14, 1802, Edmund Ward, res. Fairfield, N. Y.
- (520) David, b. July 9, 1779. m. Abigail Ames.
- (521) Anna, b. September 18, 1781. m. June 21, 1801, Silas Shepherd. Res. Herkimer, N. Y.

David White was son of Ebenezer White, of Chatham, Conn. b. September 7, 1754. He inherited part of his father's homestead (now Portland, Conn.), and settled there; was a farmer, ship-builder, and justice of the peace. He d. September 18, 1832.

Wife Mary Ann d. December 4, 1797, and David m. 2d, October 15, 1798, widow Mary Prior, of Windsor, Conn., by whom he had children Mary Ann and James W.

262 Jozeb Stocking and Anna Sheldon had:

- (522) Anna Sheldon, bap. July 26, 1778. m. April 6, 1797, Samuel Latimer, of Eastbury, Conn.
- (523) Betsey, bap. November 28, 1779. d. May 24, 1783.
- (524) Horace, bap. December 25, 1785. d. March 20, 1868. Was a sea captain.
- (525) Zebulon, bap. May 15, 1788. d. May 2, 1809, in St. Bartholomew. A sailor.
- (526) Sally, bap. September 30, 1790. m. March 17, 1817, Joseph Williams.
- (527) Emily Anna, b. June 12, 1793. m. October 14, 1811, Elishama Brandagee. She d. June 3, 1833.
- (528) Justus, b. February 3, 1796. d. June 3, 1884. A cotton merchant, of Hartford, Conn.

Jozeb res. in Cromwell, Conn.; was a representative to the legislature in 1815 and 1816. He d. June 29, 1841. Anna was the dau. of Caleb Sheldon, East Hartford. b. 1758, and d. May 24, 1829.

267 Samuel Stocking and Susannah Morrison had:

- (529) Susannah, bap. June 8, 1792. m. May 13, 1816, Wm. M. Hand.
- (530) Harriet, b. November 8, 1795. d. October 11, 1817.
- (531) Samuel, b. April 29, 1798. d. August 28, 1820, in Santiago, Cuba.

- (532) Michael, bap. January 8, 1800. d. October 12, 1824. m. November 4, 1822, Sarah Pattison, Berlin, Conn.
 (533) William, bap. October 6, 1804. m. 1838, Sarah C. Mildrum.
 (534) Jennette, bap. 1809. d. June 3, 1826.

Samuel lived in Cromwell, where he d. July 14, 1834. His son Michael was buried in Berlin, Conn. Susannah d. at "Upper Houses," September, 1841.

268 Seth Stocking and Hannah Pratt had:

- (535) Betsey Latham, b. February 23, 1787. m. December 2, 1818, Ansel Wilcox.
 (536) Lucy, b. March 23, 1789. m. April 25, 1812, David Smith. She d. June 11, 1813.
 (537) Hannah, bap. March 25, 1792. m. July 28, 1819, Amos Tryon. She d. May 6, 1880.
 (538) Seth, b. May 6, 1794. d. September 3, 1880.
 (539) Mary, b. March 1, 1796. m. December 12, 1816, Samuel Churchill. She d. August 30, 1841.
 (540) Daniel, b. October 16, 1798. d. January 1, 1846.
 (541) Maria, b. September 1, 1800. m. April 12, 1821, Leonard Tryon. She d. March 30, 1877.
 (542) Joseph, b. November 27, 1802. d. April 1, 1818.
 (543) Anna Otis, bap. October 28, 1804. d. July 10, 1818.
 (544) Julia, b. September 7, 1806. m. Chas. Darrow. She d. February 14, 1884.
 (545) Jonathan Pratt, b. March 12, 1808. d. October 11, 1817.
 (546) Rev. William Redfield, b. June 24, 1810. m. Jerusha Gilbert.
 (547) Carey Latham, b. October 12, 1813. d. April, 1876.

Seth res. in Middletown, Conn., where he d. December 2, 1831. Hannah was dau. of Jonathan and Mary (Latham) Pratt. She was b. 1766, and d. October 1, 1817.

272 Capt. John Stocking and Betsey Edwards had:

- (548) Francis, b. 1803. m. September, 1828, Abigail McKee.
 (549) John, Jr., b. February 7, 1807. m. June 24, 1847, Susan Belden.
 (550) Elizabeth.
 (551) Mary Ann, d. November 24, 1814.

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Capt. John was b. in Upper Middletown, and d. there October 28, 1860. Betsey was a lineal descendant of William Edwards, who rem. from Lynn, Mass., to East Hampton, L. I., in 1650 (William,¹ John,² Josiah,³ Churchill,⁴ Daniel,⁵ Betsey⁶), and the daughter of Daniel Edwards and Jemima Hubbard. Bap. November 10, 1782.

285 Ansel Stocking and Elvira Stanley had:

- (551A) Ansel, Jr., m. Annie Wheeler.
- (552) Elizabeth, b. December 5, 1810. m. ——— Wetmore.
- (553) Walter, b. March 13, 1812. m. March 2, 1834, Rebecca Downey.
- (554) Sarah Ann, m. James Roberts.

Ansel was b. in Hartford, Conn. Res. in Collinsville, N. Y., and d. near Turin, N. Y., 1872. Elvira was from New Britain, Conn.

286 Sarah Stocking and William Gilbert had:

- (555) Harriet, m. A. Bucher. She d. May 11, 1817.
- (556) Samuel, m. S. Gilbert.
- (557) Orson, m. E. Haines.
- (558) Alden, m. C. Delaney.
- (559) Niram, m. A. Hay.
- (560) Anson, m. ———.
- (561) Marrieta P., m. G. Newkirk.
- (562) Sarah Ann, d. aged 17.
- (563) Julia F., b. 1815. m. Eliry Barber. Three children.
- (564) Lydia B., m. Charles Cowper.
- (565) Harriet, m. Patrick Cassidy. She d. in Utica, N. Y.
- (566) William O., d. in New York.

Sarah was killed in Utica, N. Y., July 6, 1835, by being thrown from a carriage.

287 John Stocking and Deborah Sage had:

- (567) Mary.

John d. in Middletown October 12 1801, and was buried in Berlin, Conn. He was a sailor.

288 Anson Stocking and Phila Miles had:

- (568) John Miles, b. March 16, 1811. m. September 3, 1834, Emeline Newell.
- (569) Samuel Judd, b. July 14, 1812. m. March 22, 1835, Orill Coe.
- (570) Anson Gilbert, b. March 30, 1814. m. November 10, 1839, Sarah Ann Frost.
- (571) Mercia, b. July 29, 1816. m. May 4, 1836, Joseph K. Barrett.
- (572) Phila H., b. January, 1818. d. January 28, 1831.

Wife Phila d. September 22, 1821, and Anson m. 2d Flora Coe, of Torrington, Conn., May 15, 1825. They had:

- (573) Flora Eliza, b. June 22, 1827. unm. Res. Mantua Station, O.
- (574) Omar Coe, b. October 14, 1828. m. July 10, 1853, Louisa W. Pierce.
- (575) Fanny Maria, b. December 4, 1830. unm.
- (576) Phila Hannah, b. April 2, 1836. m. August 18, 1874, Ezra S. Ames.
- (577) Eber Norton, b. February 14, 1838. m. December 19, 1867, Ann J. Goodell.

Anson d. in Torrington, August 2, 1857. His widow d. in Hiram, O., April, 1894, aged 97. He was a farmer in his earlier life, and afterwards a painter and cabinet-maker; an active member of the Congregational Church, and one of the incorporators of Torrington, in 1829. Wife Phila M. was b. 1790. Wife Flora was b. February 17, 1797.

315 Lucretia Stocking and Hezekiah Kirby had:

- (578) George Kirby, b. February 24, 1791. m. Fanny Potter.
- (579) Hiram, b. July 8, 1793. m. Betsey Bedartha.
- (580) Lucretia, b. August 12, 1795. m. James Parks.

Hezekiah Kirby was b. March 23, 1761; rem. to Mill Creek, Erie Co., Penn., and thence to Sheffield, Mass., where he d. December 3, 1837. He was son of Joseph and Esther (Wilcox) Kirby, of Middletown, Conn. Lucretia d. at Middletown, Conn., April 23, 1796.

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319 Henry Stocking and Caroline Belcher had:

(581) Henry, d. young.

(582) Charles B., b. December 6, 1832. m. Harriet M. Stocking.

(583) Henry W., b. 1837. m. Harriette Hubbard. He d. July 23, 1892.

(584) Caroline, b. ——. m. Geo. W. Smith.

Res. Cromwell, Conn.

324 Fanny Stocking and William White had:

(585) Catherine Chauncey, b. June 10, 1810. m. January 6, 1830,
Hon. Charles Kirby, of Upper Middletown.

(586) Nancy A., b. May 7, 1813. d. April 27, 1856. Res. Ballston,
N. Y.

(587) Elizabeth, b. 1816. d. November 1, 1817.

Fanny Stocking was the 2d wife, William having m. 1st Grace Savage, who d. May 14, 1806. He was b. in 1777, and d. December 5, 1827. Fanny d. February 20, 1859, aged 73. Hon. Chas. Kirby d. in Yonkers, N. Y., December 27, 1868. Res. Upper Middletown and Cromwell.

326 George Stocking and Sarah Pelton had:

(588) Sarah Ann, b. July 20, 1822. m. November 10, 1847, Chris-
topher M. Darrow. No child. She d. April 27, 1902.

(589) George Henry, b. May 10, 1824. m. October 27, 1850, Louisa J.
Gordon.

(590) Edwin, b. December 31, 1825. d. March 10, 1865, in San Fran-
cisco. A tailor by trade.

(591) Elisha, b. January 31, 1828. m. November 26, 1852, Harriet
Pinney, of Simsbury, Conn.

(592) Ralph, b. April 16, 1830. m. January 12, 1856, Adelaide E.
Jones.

Wife Sarah was dau. of Marshall Pelton, of Portland, Conn. George was a joiner by trade. d. May 11, 1831. Sarah d. August 4, 1878. Res. Cromwell, Conn.

327 Joseph Stocking and Jane Fisher had:

(593) Sophronia, d. young.

(594) Justus, d. No child.



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- (595) Johnathan Smith, b. ——. m. Sabrina Lilly.
 - (596) Sophronia, b. 1812. m. Stephen Scranton.
 - (597) Richard Weldon, d. unm.
 - (598) Abner, m. Gracia Porter.
 - (599) Abigail, m. 1st — Robinson; m. 2d — Finney. Res. Vine-
land, N. J.
 - (600) Herod, b. July 5, 1819. m. November 3, 1841, Adaline Fitch
 - (601) Jane, b. ——. m. Marshall Chadwick.
 - (602) Martha, d. at Dover, O. Unm.
 - (603) Joseph, b. ——. Unm. Res. Dover Center, O.
- Joseph d. at Dover, O., 1816.

328 George Stocking and Ann Toby had:

- (604) Abraham, b. June 19, 1810. m. Henrietta Colton.
- (605) Mary Ann, b. February 3, 1812. m. Elliot M. Gray. She d.
November 16, 1894.
- (606) George, b. August 2, 1814. m. April 10, 1844, Eliza Smith.
- (607) Abigail, b. November 21, 1816. m. Alexander Green.
- (608) Roswell, b. October 25, 1819. m. Augusta Clisbee.
- (609) Amaziah, Toby, b. November 23, 1821. m. Julia Chapman.
- (610) Dexter, b. April 15, 1824. m. Lucy Clisbee.
- (611) Alfred Lester, b. April (or January) 8, 1827. d. young.
- (612) Lavina, b. September 11, 1829. m. William A. Warren.

Wife Ann d. February 22, 1837, and George m. 2d,
December 16, 1840, widow Mary Jackson Ship-
pey. They had:

- (613) Calista, b. March 16, 1842. d.
- (614) William Marble, b. July 29, 1843. Unm. Res. Sunapee, N. H.

George succeeded his Uncle Amos in the tanning and shoemaking busi-
ness at Pittsfield, Mass., where he d. December 25, 1864. Wife Anna was
b. July 6, 1790, at Conway, Mass., and d. February 22, 1835.

329 Roswell Stocking and Rosina Beau (Bow) had:

- (615) Abram, b. August 19, 1826. m. December 23, 1847, Susie A.
Weller, of Warsaw, N. Y.

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- (616) Emeline, b. ——. m. Lucius Long. No child.
 (617) Abigail, b. ——. m. William Holloway.
 (618) Elizabeth, b. ——. m. Daniel Spencer, Mt. Morris, N. Y.
 (619) Maria, d. young.

Roswell was a thrifty farmer. Rem. from Pittsfield, Mass., to York, Livingston Co., N. Y., and d. there in 1860.

330 Herod Stocking and Lydia Ames had:

- (620) John A., b. March 5, 1815.
 (621) Joseph, b. September 11, 1817. m. 1847, Phoebe Lewis.
 (622) Lewis, b. February 25, 1820. m. December 10, 1843, Mary L. Burroughs.
 (623) William, b. November 30, 1821. d. September 21, 1824.
 (624) Chandler, b. January 28, 1824. d. young.
 (625) William, b. January 3, 1827. m. June 27, 1847, Lydia Crill.
 (626) Jonathan S., b. July 11, 1829. d. young.
 (627) Henry F., b. February 13, 1831. d. young.
 (628) Horace, b. August 10, 1834. d. young.
 (629) Horace, b. July 16, 1836. d. March 3, 1846.

Herod was b. in Ashfield, Mass., and was a farmer. He rem. to Conn., thence to the West, and d. in Lindenwood, Ill., February 21, 1884, aged nearly 93 years. Served in the War of 1812. Wife Lydia was b. April 14, 1796, d. March 5, 1847, and Herod m. 2d Levina Forbush, who d. February 2, 1865.

331 Nabby Stocking and Bethnel Ward had:

- (630) Abram.
 (631) Allan, res. Tecumseh, Mich., and Dundee, Ill. A merchant.
 Res. Dover, Ohio.
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332 Braddock Stocking and — — — had:

- (631A) Sophronia, m. Henry W. Filley, res. Arrow Rock, Mo. They had George, 1854, Clarence, 1858.

Braddock was b. in Ashfield, Mass.; served in the navy in the War of 1812, sailing from New London, Conn., under Com. Roswell Adams, June 1, 1813. He probably had other children.



WILLIAM MARBLE STOCKING.

338 Amos Stocking and Theodocia Blair had:

- (632) Amos Dwight, b. March 31, 1826. m. September 3, 1847, Mary Jane Brown.
- (633) Sarah Lovina, b. July 24, 1827. Unm.
- (634) Ralph Tyrrell, b. August 4, 1829.
- (635) John Charles.
- (636) Hannah Frances, b. November 12, 1833. Unm.
- (637) Albert.
- (637A) Albert Newton.
- (637B) William Patter, b. January 28, 1843. m. 1862, Loraine McArthur.
- (637C) Mary Theodocia.

Amos was b. in Ashfield, Mass. In 1828 he rem. to Tecumseh, Mich., became one of its founders, built there the first frame house, and at his death was the oldest citizen of the town. He was a farmer, shoe manufacturer, and insurance agent successively; an original member of the Presbyterian Church, and a ruling elder for thirty years. His wife d. April 2, 1847, and the following year he m. 2d Sibyl C. Hannon, of Franklin, Mich., who d. in 1869. He d. June 7, 1885, at the age of 84. He was of a very affectionate disposition, social, and beloved by all. He used to relate with keen relish how an honest old Quaker, who had never heard the surname Stocking, seeing a bag of wheat at the grist-mill marked "A. Stocking," looked at it a long time, and finally exclaimed, "If that were not marked 'A. Stocking,' I should call it a bag."

339 Charles Stocking and Maria L. Dewey had:

- (638) George, b. 1834. d. 1844.
- (639) Dr. Charles H., b. July 16, 1836. m. Martha M. Breed.
- (640) Grove.
- (641) Albert.
- (642) Frank.

Maria d. in Tecumseh, Mich., February 13, 1863. Charles was b. 1807. Res. for many years in Tecumseh, Mich., and d. there 1883, aged 76.

353 Sylvester Stocking and Martha B. Clark had:

- (643) David Sage, b. January 16, 1812. m. October 30, 1845, Julia Ann Cornwall; m. 2d, August 9, 1854, Emma A. Munnerlyn.

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- (644) Mary Ann, b. August 11, 1813. m. October 26, 1834, Brackett M. West.
- (645) Sarah Maria, b. January 11, 1818. m. September 25, 1855, John Porter.

Sylvester was the first town clerk of Portland, Conn., when the town was set off from Chatham in 1840, and he held the office for many years. His equanimity and amiability won the love and admiration of all his townsmen, and his orthography was so perfect that he was a recognized authority in spelling. He was, moreover, a Shakesperian scholar, a musician, playing the violin in the Congregational Church (the only instrument then allowed), a farmer, a school teacher, and a cabinet-maker.

357 Eliza Ann Stocking and Joel Hall had:

- (646) Jesse, d. Had sons, J. Stewart and Stephen.
- (647) Joel, d. unm.
- (648) Eliza, m. Rev. Douglass C. Peabody. She d. 1876. Two children.
- (649) Elizabeth, m. William Morgan, Hartford, Conn.
Res. Portland, Conn. Both deceased.
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369 Nathaniel Stocking and Elizabeth Stannard had:

- (650) Artemas Washburn, b. 1807. d. in Painesville, O. Was a wagon-maker. Unm.
- (651) Samuel Stannard, b. July 27, 1809. m. April 23, 1840, Clarissa Winchester. Was a merchant.
- (652) Rev. Davis Pratt, b. 1811. m. Charlotte Sexton.
- (653) Alpheus Young, b. 1813. m. d. in Louisville, Ky. An auctioneer. Five children.
- (654) Arnold Schofield, b. February 28, 1815. m. October 7, 1838, Maria Lovett.
- (655) Harvey De Wolf, b. 1817. m. 1846, Helen Riker.
- (656) Ashbel Lane, b. 1814. Unm. Drowned at Macon, Ga., 1843. Was a peddler.
- (657) Julia Elizabeth, b. 1821. m. Edmund Sanford.
- (658) Eli Wilson, b. May 3, 1824. m. October, 1856, Mary Harter.
- (659) Jared Nathaniel, b. 1825. d. March 11, 1902. Unm.
- (660) Charles Dwight, b. 1828. Unm. d. December 26, 1868.

Nathaniel was left destitute by his father, Samuel, who had indorsed a note for a friend, and for which kindness his entire property was swept away. The young boy was brought up by Nathaniel Tyler, of Cromwell, Conn. (now Tylerville), after whom he had been named. He worked at the carpenter and ship building trades, and for many years served as a local Methodist preacher in his native town. He also served in the War of 1812 under Com. Abraham Hubbard, from August 3 to September 16, 1813. He d. April 20, 1850.

371 Daniel Stocking and Mary Pease had:

- (661) Solomon, d. young.
- (662) Daniel, b. —.
- (663) Jerome, b. —. m. Kate Howe.
- (664) Solomon, b. —. m. Maria L. Allen, of Niagara Falls.
- (665) Mary, b. —. m. Orlando K. Ethridge.
- (666) Louisa, b. —. m. — Meserve.
- (667) Julia Aristelle, b. October 17, 1835. m. Elijah Dexter Webster.
- (668) Emma, b. —.
- (669) Anna, b. —.

Daniel was b. in Portland, Conn.; rem. to Enfield, thence to Rochester, N. Y. John Pease, Mary's ancestor, was a principal proprietor and founder of Enfield, from Nottatuck, March 16, 1688. The family was prominent in the Colonial and Revolutionary armies, and representatives in the general court.

373 John Stocking and Frances Hurd had:

- (670) Joseph, b. 1835. m. Emma Cone.
 - (671) Harriet, b. —. m. — Bigelow, res. Worthington, Minn.
- John d. October 12, 1854.
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376 George Stocking and Catherine Hurlbut had:

- (672) Charles Henry, b. September 4, 1844. m. December 21, 1870, Mary A. Cox.
- (673) Leverett, b. June 11, 1846. m. September, 1867, Eunice Avery.

George d. April 22, 1862. Res. Portland, Conn. His widow m. Edward Edwards, who d. in 1887.

393 Lucy Stocking and Henry Spaulding had:

- (674) Mary.
- (675) Lucy.
- (676) Caroline.
- (677) Eliza.
- (678) Maria.
- (679) Hiram.
- (680) Oren.
- (681) Franklin.
- (682) James.
- (683) Albert.

Lucy d. January 3, 1877. Henry d. February 25, 1877.

395 Philo W. Stocking and Nancy J. A. Reynolds had:

- (684) George Washburn, b. November 26, 1834. m. February 14, 1867,
Harriet Byrd Gillespie.
- (685) Virginia E. C., b. August 13, 1836. m. January 5, 1870, Edward
Roome.

Philo Stocking was b. in Chatham, Conn. When but four years old, his parents rem. to Batavia, N. Y., where they res. about twenty-five years. In 1833 Philo rem. to Wheeling, Va., and in 1834 married Miss Nancy J. Reynolds of that city, and engaged in the jewelry business until 1841, when he rem. to Sisterville, Va., carrying on there for forty-one years a very successful flouring business. Having become a large land-owner, he was the first one in the township to turn it to profitable account by boring for oil. His phenomenal farsightedness seemed to many of his fellow-citizens little better than a baseless delusion, but he was so confident that there was oil in that region, that when selling or leasing land, he reserved in every deed certain oil and mineral rights. On May 22, 1865, he began boring a well in Owl Hollow, but after going down 525 feet, the tools were lost, and the attempt was abandoned for a time. Later on, abundant oil was found, and Philo received one-half of the product as his royalty, thus laying the secure foundations of great financial prosperity for himself and family.

He was an enthusiastic Mason, and was one of a number to found, in 1838, Wheeling Commandery, Knights Templar, on whose roll of membership have been the names of some of the most prominent and influential



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members of the order in the State. At the Triennial Grand Conclave which met in Chicago, 1880, Philo, then 76 years old, endured easily the fatigue of protracted marches for several days. For many years a standing resolution was spread upon the minutes of his Commandery, that all the Sir Knights then living should attend his funeral in the event of his decease. His sudden death prevented his brethren from enjoying this sacred privilege. He d. August 28, 1882, honored and beloved far and near. He was emphatically a great man in all the essentials of a genuine greatness, pure and upright, generous to the poor, and a devoted husband and father. Nancy was b. November 22, 1815, at Shippensburg, Pa.

396 Fanny Stewart Stocking and Anson Torpy had:

- (684) Rosina, b. October 12, 1827.
- (685) Daniel, b. October 2, 1837.
- (686) Reuben, b. May 9, 1844.

Fanny S. d. July 8, 1873. Anson d. February 2, 1890. Res. Elba, Genesee Co., N. Y.

398 Phœbe Maria Stocking and Dr. S. P. Choate had:

- (687) George.
- (688) Harriet.
- (689) Fannie.

Phœbe Maria d. November 16, 1845. Dr. Choate d. May 20, 1893. Res. Three Rivers, Mich.

399 Hon. Moses Stocking and Anna Loomis had:

- (690) Mary R., b. August 21, 1839. m. November 24, 1868, Jonathan Tyson.
- (691) Laura S., b. May 10, 1841. m. December 12, 1870, George Walradt.
- (692) Chas. Lyell, b. April 10, 1843. m. September 7, 1871, Martha Jane Burr, of Eldred, Neb.
- (693) George Halsey, b. February 17, 1846. m. December 16, 1874, Emma A. Cook; m. 2d, March 27, 1900, Mary A. Patterson.

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- (694) William Squires, b. November 8, 1848. m. November 5, 1889,
Dora Goodwin, of Ottawa, Kan.
- (695) Rose Adell, b. February 20, 1851. m. November 24, 1870,
Edwin T. White, of Hope, Ind.
- (696) Flora M., b. April 7, 1853. m. May 22, 1881, Wm. P. Bosworth,
of Fort Collins, Cal.
- (697) Cyrus Fremont, b. July 21, 1857. d. young.
- (698) Jessie Elizabeth, b. November 26, 1859. m. January 19, 1882,
John F. Hecht, of Wahoo, Neb.

Hon. Moses Stocking was b. in New Berlin, Chenango Co., N. Y., April 1813. Obligated to labor hard for his daily bread, and having but little chance for even a limited school training, yet possessing a retentive memory, and incited by a noble ambition, he eventually became one of the most remarkable characters in his day and generation. At the age of 17, he received a tempting offer from Batavia, N. Y., to learn the drug business, and to become eventually a physician, but his father's broken constitution and the needs of the family forced him to become a frontiersman. Six years later, November 3, 1835, he took passage on the steamer *North American*, at Buffalo, bound for Detroit, Mich. A violent storm overtook the ship when attempting to pass the hull of the old *Superior*, Commodore Perry's flag-ship, then aground in the harbor, and the steamer was run aground, losing her anchors, and being not a little damaged. Moses landed at Erie, walked to Ashtabula, staged to Willsville on the Ohio River, tramped on to Wheeling, W. Va., and after a brief visit with a brother, started again with a heavy pack on his shoulders, barely escaping a highway robber who was lying in wait for him. He walked to Dayton, O., thence up the Miami Valley to Fort Wayne, down the Wabash to Huntingdon, then north through forests inhabited by howling wolves, until he reached St. Joe Co., Mich. Resting here for sixteen months to recover from an attack of inflammatory rheumatism, the financial depression of 1837 drove him back to New York State. In 1838 he married, and with his father and family went to Michigan, where they toiled for fourteen years, after which they were driven by sickness, suffering, and hard labor to seek a more congenial climate.

March 16, 1853, found Moses with a team of horses and \$700 in cash at Glenwood, Iowa. The Michigan farm of 186 acres had been sacrificed for the paltry sum of \$2,000. From Iowa he pushed on farther west, and on September 28 of the same year he arrived at the Sacramento River, worn out by fatigue and peril. One year later he returned to Michigan, via the Isthmus and New York, closed up his affairs, and kept his Christmas with his family in Glenwood, Iowa. There being no educational advantages

here for his children, he crossed the river to Four Mile Creek, Cass Co., Neb., where he rented a farm, built a log cabin, and raised a good crop of wheat and corn, which was, however, consumed by a prairie fire. While attending the funeral of a sister at Glenwood, the Pawnee Indians stole his stock. His sister and her husband having died within a few days of each other, their children were added to Moses' family, giving him twelve persons to feed and educate on the verge of the terrible winter of '56 and '57. An unfortunate investment in the Cedar Town Site badly crippled him; most of the crop raised on his forty-five acres was destroyed by the storm of October, 1857.

The discovery of gold in Colorado led Moses, with a small party, to that hitherto almost unknown Western region, and while waiting for the spring season to open, they founded the present city of Denver. Returning home for supplies, Moses found a commercial panic had so increased the price of stock and of food that he concluded to enlarge his farming business, and with a much larger acreage he raised a splendid crop, which the furious storm of June 10 utterly destroyed, besides subjecting him to great personal peril. The following year he left his farm in charge of his wife and three sons, and organized an overland freighting business with Denver, on a salary of \$400 per annum, until 1863, traveling about 3,500 miles each year.

In the spring of 1864 Moses became a drover, and eventually a raiser of sheep, in which business he was so successful that he was called the "king sheep raiser." A splendid stock and fruit farm of 1,040 acres, besides much other valuable real estate, was the ultimate reward for the indomitable energy which had bravely buffeted so many misfortunes, and which would have crushed any man of weaker mould.

Moses rem. his family to Saunders Co., where they enjoyed the ample fruits of their joint toils. He was the first man to introduce blooded cattle into the county; was county commissioner, member for life of the State Board of Agriculture, director of the State Horticultural Society, president of the Wool and Sheep Growers' Association, vice-president of the Fine Stock Breeders' Association, charter member of the State Historical Society, and a member of the committee on awards on wool at the Centennial Exposition in Philadelphia, 1876, himself receiving an award on wool raised on his farm.

He was a ready and fluent writer, a frequent contributor to periodical literature, and was often appointed speaker at popular gatherings. A Republican in politics, he was not a politician, though he was nearly nominated for Governor in the Lincoln convention. Forming his opinions with deliberation, he uttered them with candor and courage, and when he spoke, people listened. He was generous, hospitable, and self-sacrificing for

others, and would walk many miles to assist prospective settlers in properly locating. While examining lands for the B. & M. Railway he caught a severe cold, resulting in frequent hemorrhages of the lungs, from which he finally died at Wahoo, September 30, 1881, his funeral being attended by the largest concourse of people ever seen in the county. Anna, his wife, d. February 13, 1899.

400 John Isham Stocking and Polly Wisner Clark had:

(699) Cyrus Clark, b. February 17, 1848. d. 1852.

Polly W. d. September 15, 1851, and John Isham m. 2d Mrs. Fanny (Loomis) Brown, of Alexander, N. Y., September 18, 1852. They had:

(700) George Washington, b. September 17, 1854. m. January 1, 1881, Annie Marie Holbrook.

(701) Andrew Jackson, b. June 28, 1860. d. young.

(702) Lucy Elizabeth, b. September 3, 1861. m. Harlan P. Slocum.

Fanny B. d. at Flowerfield, Perkins Co., Mich., October 24, 1887. John I. d. there December 2, 1889.

401 Rev. Daniel Nash Stocking and Eleanor A. Gill had:

(703) David Nash, b. December 4, 1843. Soldier in Civil War. d. at Duval's Bluff, Ark., September 26, 1863.

(704) Harriet Armanda, b. September 12, 1845. d. September 16, 1862, at Flowerfield, Mich.

(705) Emma Elizabeth, b. November 26, 1847. m. September 22, 1866, Samuel Tackaberry. He d. October 13, 1881.

(706) Lucy Adelaide, b. May 12, 1851. m. October 29, 1868, George F. Saddler.

(707) William Henry, b. June 22, 1855. m. May 15, 1881, Mary Watson.

(708) Cynthia Jane, b. March 31, 1860. d. September 13, 1891, at Yankee Springs, Mich.

(709) Arthur Mead, b. August 19, 1863. m. April 25, 1894, Emma Daymond.

Wife Eleanor was b. April 27, 1824. Dau. of William Gill, St. Joe Co., Mich. d. at Yankee Springs, Mich., September 6, 1891. Rev. Daniel N. resides there at the present time. He is a Presbyterian minister.

402 Mary Stocking and Edward Arnold had:

- (710) Ursula Elizabeth, b. August 9, 1843. m. January 1, 1862, Henry Eikenburg.
 - (711) Halsey Edward, b. April 3, 1845.
 - (712) Flora Sophia, b. October 19, 1854. d. March 28, —.
- Mary d. October 28, 1856. Edward Arnold was b. April 8, 1817. Dec.
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405 Nancy Ann Stocking and William Garrison had:

- (713) Leo William, b. July 7, 1861, at Elba, N. Y.
 - (714) John Cary, b. April 9, 1863, in Denver.
- Nancy Ann d. at Castle Rock, Col., October 10, 1896. William is also d.
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408 Howell Stocking and Mary Gilbert had:

- (715) Sylvester H., b. October 3, 1802. m. December 4, 1824, Laura Schemerhorn.
 - (716) George, d. unm., aged 26.
 - (717) Jackson, m. Mrs. Eliza Bly. Res. Scranton, Pa.
 - (718) Lucy Hobby, m. Andrew Hull. Res. Prattsville, Ill.
 - (719) Lois, m. William Newcomb.
 - (720) Sally, m. Lawrence Wolcott.
 - (721) Polly, m. Thomas Jones.
 - (722) Rachel Ann, m. Lawson Newcome.
- Howell was a ship carpenter. b. January 7, 1776, d. January 18, 1868. Mary Gilbert was b. September 9, 1775. Res. Catskill, N. Y., and at other places.
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411 Eunice Stocking and David Savage had:

- (723) David.
- (724) Sylvester.
- (725) Lucy.
- (726) Sarah Maria, b. July 10, 1803. m. October 24, 1826, Elisha James Davis. She d. November 27, 1890, leaving son James, b. April 17, 1828. m. September 27, 1853, Jane Poole,

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and they had children Frederick Elisha, Anna Mary, and Agnes Jane. m. — McDonald.

(727) Louisa.

Eunice was b. in Glastonbury, Conn.

419 Chester Stocking and Clarissa Lee had:

(728) Wells, b. December 23, 1811. m. October 15, 1837, Lucetta C. Phelps; m. 2d Emeline Brainard.

(729) William Halsey, b. February 27, 1814. m. September 18, 1843, Mercy Amelia Talcott.

(730) Lester E., b. June 29, 1818. m. Margaret Hood; m. 2d Mercy Whetstone.

(731) George, b. January 19, 1819. m. March 9, 1838, Jane Bosworth.

(732) Harriet M., b. July 27, 1821. d. March 15, 1832.

(733) Henry A., b. November 4, 1823. m. August 7, 1851, Sarah Wakeland.

(734) Jabin Strong, b. January 31, 1826. m. April 19, 1849, Susan Randall.

(735) Louisa A., b. March 5, 1828. d. September 9, 1845.

(736) Horace, b. August 6, 1830. m. December 6, 1855, Lucinda Hudson; m. 2d Malvina Lovelace.

(737) Chester Lucius, b. September 2, 1835. m.

Chester was apprenticed to the blacksmith trade when quite young, married at the age of 18, and at the age of 24, with his wife and three little boys, journeyed from Glastonbury, Conn., to Madison, Ohio, in an ox-cart. He lived for several years on what is called the Middle Ridge, and later removed to Thompson, Ohio, in both of which places he worked at his trade of blacksmithing. He shod the first horse in Madison, and made the iron work for the first bridge across Grand River. Later he became a sailor on Lake Erie, and was for a time mate of his vessel. He was short and stout, with ruddy complexion, blue eyes, and red-brown hair, jovial in disposition, and a great social favorite. In his old age he was known and widely beloved as "Grandpa Stocking," the center of a large circle of kinsfolk and friends. He died at the home of his son, Wm. Halsey, in Madison, Ohio, November 22, 1876, and in the communion of the Episcopal Church.

Clarissa Lee, wife of Chester, was dau. of Linus Lee, Glastonbury, Conn., b. November 4, 1792, a comely woman of dark complexion, dark eyes and

hair, quiet in disposition, somewhat reserved in manner, a devoted wife and mother, and an exemplary Christian. She d. at the home of her son Lester, near Booneville, Ind., January 31, 1851.

424 James Stocking and Mary Loomis had:

- (738) Henry James, m. Caroline McClintock.
- (739) Harriet, b. May 12, 1812. m. September 13, 1830, Jabez W. Fairbanks.
- (740) Harrison, b. —.
- (741) Hariette, b. —. m. George Wood, of Lansboro.
- (742) Horace, b. —.
- (743) Henrietta, b. —. m. Waldo Fuller.
- (744) Homer, b. August 24, 1824. m. February 15, 1847, Maria L. Merryfield, of Dalton, Mass.

Res. Pittsfield, Mass. James served in the Rev. War as private in Capt. Edward Eel's Co., Col. Comfort Sage's Battery, Conn. Militia. Mary d. in Pittsfield, in 1860.

427 Austin Stocking and Charlotte Rexford had:

- (745) Reuben, b. November 26, 1812. m. Nancy Toms, of Pine Plains, N. Y.
- (746) Mary Ann, b. December 16, 1813. m. January 29, 1834, Gilbert Stewart.
- (747) Russell, b. April 9, 1816. Res. Red Hook, N. Y. Wagon-maker. d. in Coxsackie, N. Y.
- (748) Ralph, b. October 4, 1818. m. Lucretia Wilkinson. Res. America, N. Y. A farmer.
- (749) Maryette, b. April 7, 1820. m. March 28, 1843, Isaac West.
- (750) Richard, b. October 14, 1823. Blacksmith.
- (751) Maria, b. June 5, 1828. m. O. Benjamin.
- (752) Ransler, b. —. m. July 4, 1853, Mary Keefer.
- (753) Charlotte, b. —. m. Isaac West.

Austin was a manufacturer of edge tools, and res. in Southwick, Mass., where most of his children were born, and he d. in Sharon, Conn., November 17, 1746. Charlotte was b. in Boston, July 3, 1794, and d. in Penn Yan, N. Y., 1885. Austin was drum major in the War of 1812.

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430 Sidney Stocking and Louisa Tennant had:

- (754) Almira M., b. February 12, 1811. m. May 21, 1828, Sanford Prouty.
- (755) Harriet, b. February 17, 1813. d. August 18, 1826.
- (756) Sophia C., b. August 17, 1817. m. December 22, 1836, Cyrus Shumway.
- (757) Zalmon Stewart, b. July 31, 1819. m. Eliza Dudley.
- (758) Laura A., b. August 7, 1821. m. May 15, 1862, George N. Gove.
- (759) Jeremiah, b. May 11, 1824. d. April 17, 1847.
- (760) Alexander Irwin, b. March 14, 1826. d. August 27, 1841.
- (761) Fernando, b. March 27, 1829. d. June 25, 1832.
- (762) Sidney F., b. July 20, 1832. d. June 19, 1896.
- (763) Louise M., b. February 19, 1837. m. July 7, 1857, Dr. C. R. Taft.

Sidney was b. in Glastonbury, Conn., March 11, 1792. Res. in Cheshire, Conn., Hannibal, N. Y., and settled finally at Oswego, N. Y. In 1833 he rem. to the West, induced thereto by its promise of greater and more permanent agricultural prosperity. The family traveled in wagons to Buffalo, where Sidney was given charge of a canal-boat bound for Cleveland. The first day out a terrible storm swept over Lake Erie, endangering the lives of all on board, but they providentially arrived at Cleveland, entered the river, and made their way to Akron, O., where they settled on a small farm at Portage, two miles from Akron. Sidney d. September 3, 1840, and his son Alexander d. the next year, leaving the family sorely bereaved. In 1842 the family rem. to Massilon, O., where Jeremiah d. in 1847. In 1858 they rem. to Mansfield, O., where they remained until scattered by marriages. Louisa was a capable, resolute, God-fearing woman, bearing early trial and privation nobly, and bringing up her family in those sturdy principles that made every child successful in after life. She d. at the home of her dau. Laura, Whiteford Center, O., in 1882, aged 90 years.

431 Rev. Solon Stocking and Harriett Hurlburt had no children. Solon m. 2d, July 14, 1814, Nancy Piper and had:

- (764) De Witt Clinton, b. March 10, 1815. d. May 10, 1888. unm.
- (765) De Lafayette, b. October 12, 1816. d. January 6, 1872. unm.

(766) Delia Ann, b. January 17, 1819. m. June 1, 1844, John M. Hughes; m. 2d, June 30, 1870, Harvey Risk. She d. August 5, 1897.

Wife Nancy P. d. January 30, 1819, and Solon m. 3d Mehitable Patterson, August 20, 1826. They had:

(767) Darwin, b. June 26, 1827. m. Francis Seymour. He d. February 9, 1891.

(768) Diantha Jane, b. June 12, 1833. m. October 1, 1860, Ransom Curran. She d. August 27, 1889.

(769) Delphine Sophia, b. October 7, 1835. m. July 19, 1886, A. J. King, res. Hammonton, N. J.

(770) Dennison, b. January 1, 1838. m. February 3, 1868, Eugenia Tircuit.

(771) Delinda Eloise, b. June 18, 1840. m. September 2, 1860, Cyrus J. Brownell.

(772) Deborah Katherine, b. December 12, 1844. m. June 2, 1861, Jesse E. Folk.

Rev. Solon was a presiding elder for many years in the M. E. Church, and res. for a considerable time in Binghamton, N. Y., where he d. October 8, 1867. Wife Mehitable d. February 24, 1883.

432 Septerius Stocking and Susan Strong had:

(773) Mary Catherine, b. August 4, 1824. m. August 4, 1845, Dr. Dexter Tucker.

(774) Roderick Strong, b. January 12, 1829. m. Mary A. Willis.

(775) Jeremiah S., b. February, 1830. d. young.

(776) Susan Emma, b. April 5, 1836. d. February 20, 1848.

Susan was dau. of Demas Strong, of Middle Haddam, and a lady of remarkable beauty. She d. April 14, 1836. Septerius m. 2d Jane Wilkin-son, and d. at Stockbridge, Mass., May 22, 1882. In his early years, Sep-terius was in mercantile life in Hartford, Conn., but he abandoned that for the dental profession, which he followed for many years in Boston.

433 Samantha Stocking and Asahel Strong had:

(777) Delia Ann.

(778) Betsey, m. Joel Gould.

- (779) Nancy, m. — Coe.
 (780) Benoni.
 (781) Mary.

Res. rem. from Haddam, Conn., to Vestal, N. Y., in 1825. After the death of her husband, she went with her son, Benoni, to the valley of the Mississippi River, and after the loss of their property there returned to the Upper Mississippi, and d. at the home of her daughter.

434 Sophronius Stocking and Polly Matson had:

- (782) Charles P., b. September 19, 1817. m. December 21, 1842, Charity A. Downs.
 (783) Mary Jane, b. January 18, 1820. m. J. C. Downs.
 (784) Eliza Ann, b. October 14, 1821. m. Rufus L. Herrick.
 (785) Charlotte P., b. June 2, 1824. m. November, 1843, Cranston Jackson.
 (786) Joseph C., b. January 6, 1826. m. October 8, 1857, Cynthia Elizabeth Carey.
 (787) George L., b. September 6, 1827. m. June 29, 1853, Mary M. Russell.
 (788) Martha P., b. September 10, 1829. d. young.
 (789) Ezra B., b. July 18, 1832. m. 1880, Miss — Janes. She d. 1891.
 (790) Sabura S., b. October 22, 1833. m. 1856, Charlotte E. Higgins.
 (791) Martha Philena, b. November 8, 1835. m. Hiram B. Patrick.

Rev. Sophronius was a Methodist minister. He was b. in Glastonbury, Conn., and d. in Rockford, Ill., 1880. Wife Polly d. 1886, at Albia, Ia. He joined the M. E. Church when nine years of age, and became a licensed preacher in 1818, admitted to the Genesee Conference in 1828; rem. to Illinois in 1839; was stationed in Chicago until 1841; presiding elder of the Mt. Morris District, 1841; of the Rock River, 1842; of the Ottawa, 1843; of the Rock River, 1844; of the Racine, 1845 and '46, closing an active ministry of 33 years in 1855. Ill health then relegated him to the position of a superannuated minister. He d. beloved and regretted by the Church he had served so long and so faithfully, and by a host of sorrowing relatives and friends.

435 Rev. Sevillius Stocking and Elizabeth Smith had:

- (792) Adelia Ann, b. August 1, 1823. m. Orlando F. Yale.
- (793) Charlotte S. J., b. June 9, 1825. m. September 8, 1841, Levi Moulthrop.
- (794) Summerfield Septerius, b. May 23, 1827. m. December 27, 1845, Betsey Tyler; m. 2d, December 27, 1852, Christina Eldridge.

Rev. Sevillius m. 2d, August 6, 1847, Mrs. Mary (McKinley) Gardner, b. in Glasgow, Scotland, January 8, 1815. They had:

- (795) Lamertine, b. November 29, 1848. m. December 24, 1869, Ellen Howarth.
- (796) Mary Serilla, b. July 22, 1850. Unm. d. September 17, 1873.
- (797) Serenius Sabura, b. April 20, 1854. d. young.
- (798) Rev. Oliver Eastborn, b. July 10, 1856. m. October 29, 1885, Jennie Leithead.

Rev. Sevillius was b. in Glastonbury, Conn.; entered the ministry of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and was settled in Baltimore. He withdrew from the ministry, changed his name to Stogden, and settled in Wilmington, Del., where he d. March 17, 1856. His 2d wife d. January 10, 1875. She was a descendant of the Ross McKinley clan of Scotland, and her ancestor was the signer in his own blood of the "Solemn League and Covenant."

436 Serilla Stocking and Brazilla Buck had:

- (799) Jeremiah O.
- (800) John S. B.
- (801) Wilber F.
- (802) Samantha, m. — Sizer.

Brazilla was killed in a saw-mill at East Glastonbury, Conn.

437 Serenius S. Stocking and Juliana Baker had:

- (803) Sarah Jane, b. August 23, 1828. m. July 3, 1856, Nathan Marvin Belden, of Wilton, Conn.
- (804) Susan A., b. September 29, 1832. d. young.

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- (805) Sabura S., b. January 24, 1830. m. M. Louise Carter, of Norwich, Conn.
- (806) Edwin Ruthven, b. January 26, 1833. d. July 14, 1848.
- (807) Charles Henry Wright, b. October 31, 1835. m. September 21, 1865, Isabelle W. Holcomb.
- (808) Frank Baker, b. December 6, 1837. m. September 19, 1891, Mary Eliza Edwards.
- (809) Dwight Clifford, b. November 17, 1841. m. February 14, 1871, Addie Bryant. He d. September 11, 1878.
- (810) Florence, b. December 2, 1846. d. 1848.
- (811) Theodore Bertrand, b. June 21, 1844. m. Lizzie Quail.
- (812) Arthur, b. April 7, 1850. m. April 3, 1878, Etta Lawton. Res. Boston, Mass.

Serenius S. was b. in Glastonbury, Conn., July 13, 1804; was engaged in manufacturing for the greater part of his life. He bought a farm in Canterbury, Conn., where he d. April 13, 1885. He was a staunch politician of the old Whig party, afterwards the Republican; a musician in the State Militia, and a warden of St. Peter's Church, Plymouth. He is buried in Wilton, Conn. Juliana Baker was b. September 10, 1809, in Tolland, Conn. She was the dau. of John Baker, Esq., and Alice Jewett, his wife, who was dau. of Col. David Jewett, surgeon in the Connecticut Line Rev. War, and granddaughter of John Jewett, who m. Elizabeth Cummings, of Topsfield, February 2, 1661. John Baker, father of Juliana, was one of the original proprietors of Tolland, Conn., and a man of property.

438 Rev. Selah Stocking and Mary H. Blood had:

- (813) Solon Walter, b. May 5, 1834. unm.
- (814) Mary Sinton, b. September 22, 1835. d. September 26, 1865. Unm.
- (815) Herbert Blood, b. July 6, 1841. d. February 22, 1853.
- (816) Edgar Blood, b. April 17, 1843. m. September 4, 1867, Emily Chapman; m. 2d Sarah Chapman.
- (817) Ellen, b. April 17, 1843. d. young.
- (818) Oliver Brown, b. August 27, 1851. d. young.

Rev. Selah, the seventh son of Rev. Jeremiah Stocking, was b. in Glastonbury, Conn., May 9, 1806. In the atmosphere of a home whose dominating idea was the service of God and devotion to the spiritual welfare of one's fellowmen, it is no matter of surprise that young Selah, at the age of



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18, became an ardent member of the M. E. Church. Two years later he was appointed class leader, and his success in this position so clearly demonstrated his fitness for its higher ministry, that he renounced all thought of a business career, and on April 3, 1827, he entered the Wilbraham Academy, then under the presidency of the Rev. Wilbur Fiske. In 1829 he was licensed to preach at Marblehead and Hingham, Mass.; ordained deacon at New Bedford in 1830, and assigned to the Church in Andover, and to Lynn in 1831; ordained elder at Providence, R. I., in 1832, and assigned to Newburyport. On July 20 of the same year, he married Miss Mary N. Blood, a woman of sterling Christian character, and to her patient and unswerving self-sacrifice and intelligent helpfulness in the laborious life of a Methodist itinerancy, her husband always attributed a great portion of his ministerial success. In 1833 he was transferred to the Oneida Conference, and stationed at Wilkesbarre, Pa.; 1835, Skamates, N. Y.; 1836 to Windsor, N. Y., circuit, the only one he served upon; 1837, Berkshire, N. Y.; 1838, Courtland, N. Y.; 1839, Windsor Circuit for a second time; 1840, Auburn, N. Y.; 1841, Courtland, N. Y., for a second time; 1843, Cazenovia, N. Y.; 1845, Saquoit; 1846, presiding elder Chenango District for four years; 1850, Sherburne, N. Y.; 1851, Oxford; 1852, Clinton, N. Y.; 1854, Manlius, N. Y.; 1855, Pittston, Pa.; 1858, Fort Plain, N. Y.; 1860, Stockbridge, N. Y.; 1862, Canastota, N. Y.; 1864, Marcellus, N. Y.; 1867, Auburn, N. Y., for a second time; 1868, Dryden; 1869, Elbridge; 1871, Jamesville and Devitt, N. Y.; 1874, Manlius.

In closing his work as presiding elder of the Chenango, N. Y., District, and while in attendance at the Conference at Honesdale, N. Y., he was prostrated with sickness resulting from overwork, and for a time it was the common feeling of his colleagues that his life would close. Providence, however, had further work for this faithful servant. In 1855, by reason of impaired health, he was by request placed upon the superannuated list, where he remained for three years. But even then when strength permitted he was at work for the Master. He writes: "These years, however, were among the most successful of my life. Visiting old friends in the Wyoming Valley, at Wilkesbarre, Pa., and spending a few days at Pittston, my services were sought for the next Conference year. Nearly fifty were added to the church by conversion, some of whom were of the first families of the place. The wealth of the church was doubled, and the church was greatly improved in its social position."

Speaking of his charge at Wilkesbarre in 1833: "At this place I was favored with the first great and, perhaps, the most extensive revival of religion of my whole ministerial life. It commenced at an out appointment near Nanticoke in a series of meetings. After these, similar meetings were held at Wilkesbarre. Some eighty or a hundred were at the

altar and in the front pews at one time. More than one hundred were hopefully converted. Some of the converts became eminent for piety and usefulness, and are now, after a lapse of more than thirty-five years, prominent members of the church."

439 Dr. Sabin Stocking and Matilda Buck had no children.

He was a physician of celebrity, res. in Glastonbury, where he built up a large and lucrative practice extending far beyond his native town. He served as regimental surgeon in the Civil War, from August 29, 1862, to July 19, 1865.

440 Rev. Sabura Stebbins Stocking and Sarah Mallory had no children.

He was b. in Glastonbury, Conn., and d. at Jamaica, N. Y., May 12, 1896. He was the youngest and largest of a family of eleven children, attaining the height of six feet, four inches, and when at his best, a weight of 320 pounds. He was graduated with high honors from Wesleyan College in 1835; was ordained priest in the Episcopal Church by Bishop Brownell, of Connecticut, in 1841, and was successively rector of St. Andrew's Church, Meriden, and Trinity Church, Newtown, Conn., the latter being at that time one of the largest and most influential in the diocese. An attack of acute laryngitis obliged him to resign his parish in 1850, and he rem. to Orange, N. J., founded St. Mark's Hall, a classical boarding school for boys, where he taught for ten years, retiring in 1860 with a comfortable fortune. After a temporary residence in New York City, he purchased a home in Jamaica, Long Island, where he resided until his death. In 1862 he became rector of Grace Church, South Oyster Bay, Long Island, holding the position for 29 years, being made Rector Emeritus in 1891. He married in 1840, Miss Sarah Mallory, of Poultney, Vt., daughter of the Hon. Rollin C. Mallory, U. S. Senator from that district, who survives him, residing in Jamaica, Long Island.

Rev. Mr. Stocking was one of the most conspicuous figures in the various communities where he had lived. Stately in figure, courtly in manner, and of a charming social personality, he was regarded by every one as the beau ideal of a gentleman and clergyman. St. Mark's Hall sent out many sons of gentlemen high in social life and financial standing, all of whom invariably loved and remembered him with enthusiasm. He was buried



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in Grace Church cemetery, Jamaica, Bishop Abram Littlejohn, Rev. Dr. G. W. Smith, president of Trinity College, and other clergymen, officiating. A minute was adopted by the assembled clergy, expressing their esteem for the deceased priest, who had served at the altar faithfully for more than fifty years. His remains lie at the foot of a superb and stately cross, erected by himself in anticipation of his departure, on which is the inscription selected by himself, "A Me Abeat Gloria, Nisi in Cruce," "God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of Jesus Christ." *Requiescat in pace.*

442 Hannah Shaler Stocking and Ansel Strong had:

- (819) Reuben, b. June 6, 1815.
- (820) Benjamin, b. August 21, 1817.
- (821) David Brainerd, b. September 24, 1819.
- (822) Hezekiah Bulkley, b. January 31, 1823. m. 1843, Caroline Stocking.

Hannah d. September 14, 1826. Ansel Strong was b. October 3, 1789. Was a member of the Connecticut legislature.

443 Hezekiah Stocking and Abigail Hubbard had:

- (823) Benjamin, b. ——. m. Louisa Benedict.
- (824) Harriet, b. ——. m. Andrew Morehouse, of Fabins, N. Y.
- (825) Caroline, b. ——. m. 1843, Hezekiah B. Strong.
- (826) Sidney, b. ——. m. Margaret Washburn, of Manlius, N. Y.
- (827) Adaline, b. ——. m. George Dann, of Whitewater, Wis.
- (828) Abigail, b. ——. m. — Vail.

Res. Springfield, N. Y. Hezekiah d. May 22, 1864.

444 Rev. George Abner Stocking and Tryphena Coe had:

- (829) Reuben C., b. May 20, 1814. d. December 11, 1836. unm.
- (830) Dimcis Tryphena, b. 1816. m. 1837, Josiah V. Griggs, M. D. She d. at Montezuma, N. Y., 1882.
- (831) George Wesley, b. 1820. m. Matilda Bush; m. 2d Tamar Pound.
- (832) Mary Lucinda, b. 1821. d. 1837. unm.

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- (833) Dr. Charles Giles, b. June 23, 1822. m. December 25, 1844, Mary Woodhull.
- (834) Solon Cook, b. June 1, 1823. m. Mrs. Cynthia (Ostrander) Hill.
- (835) Emily Amelia, b. May 19, 1834. m. December 23, 1853, William Kittlehune Wheat, M. D.
- (836) Helen Mary, b. August 1, 1838. m. Abram Sturge.

Rev. George Abner was b. in East Hampton, Conn. He was very tall, commanding in person, vigorous in intellect, and strictly logical in the application of his theological beliefs. Ordained to the ministry of the M. E. Church, he preached a gospel of the old-fashioned type, and his preaching is said to have struck terror into sinners. In earlier life he had been a drug clerk and a clock-maker, and was for many years a justice of the peace in Montezuma, N. Y., where he d. December 21, 1869. Tryphena was b. in Chatham, Conn. She d. September 4, 1863, and Rev. George m. 2d, October 21, 1864, Mrs. Sarah D. Mack, who d. January 23, 1898.

445 David Stocking and ——— had:

- (837) George, d. at Marcellus, N. Y.
- (837A) Ira.
- (837B) Mary.

Res. Marcellus, N. Y.

446 Jirah Stocking and Laura Belden had:

- (838) Lazena, m. John Ammack.

Jirah m. 2d Jerusha Chauncey and had:

- (839) Laura.
- (839A) Isaac Chauncey. Res. Fabins, N. Y.
- Jirah d. October 8, 1878.
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448 Julius Stocking and ~~Elizabeth~~^{Elizabeth} Whittlesey had:

- (840) Sidney W., b. ——. m. October 14, 1853, Charlotte Romine.
- (841) Sophia, b. ——. m. 1855, Robert Graham.
- (842) Sarah, b. ——. m. Hon. R. G. Evans. *Henry Robert*
- (843) Septus, b. ——. d. aged 21.

Julius m. 2d Mary Phillips of Washington, Pa., and had:

- (844) Servilus, b. ——. d. young.
 - (845) Hon. James S., b. December 4, 1839. m. Mary Elizabeth Hallam; m. 2d Mary Josephine Robinson.
 - (846) Alfred H., b. ——. m. Arabella Williams; m. 2d Barbara Schrecker.
 - (847) Mary J., b. ——. m. William Jenkinson, of Pittsburg. She d. No child.
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452 Vienna Brainerd Stocking and Dudley Brown had:

- (847A) Georgiana Vienna Brainerd, m. Charles Stafford, of Westfield, Mass. Res. Chicago, Ill.

Dudley Brown was a stonemason. Vienna B. d. in Chicago, and is buried in the Peabody cemetery, Springfield, Mass. She was a tall, dignified woman, and a mother to her younger sisters after their mother's death.

453 Elisha Day Stocking and Amelia Stebbins had:

- (848) Frances Ann, d. young.
- ;(849) Elisha Gunn, d. young.

Elisha D. was a merchant tailor in Springfield, and later kept a provision store. He m. 2d in 1884, —, his housekeeper, and a very estimable woman. His later life was that of a man of leisure, and he left a good estate to his brother Alexander, including many fine family portraits. He d. December 9, 1888, and is buried in the Peabody cemetery, Springfield.

456 Henry Brainerd Stocking and Abigail Sperry had:

- (850) Charles Henry, b. September 29, 1827. d. September 5, 1855. unm.

Abigail dying, Henry B. m. 2d Eliza King. They had:

- (851) Ellen Eliza, b. September 17, 1833. m. August 4, 1853, John Wesley Strong.

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- (852) Martha King, b. November 18, 1842. m. September 20, 1864,
Albert Benjamin Clough.
(853) Harriet Maria, b. August, 1849. d. July, 1860.

Henry res. in Springfield, Mass.; was a gunsmith, and in 1831-40 kept the Armory Hotel. He, with his father, was one of the founders of the First Universalist Society there. He presented and planted the great elms that have so long adorned State Street opposite Federal Square, and also the large maples in the Union Street School yard. During the larger part of his life he suffered intensely from rheumatism, which confined him to his bed for months at a time, but he bore his afflictions with remarkable patience, using his enforced exclusion as a time and school for mental improvement, and for contributing to the enjoyment of family and friends. He d. May 11, 1869, leaving a good estate.

457 Ann Sophia Stocking and Edwin Smith had:

- (854) Almira, b. ——. m. Jesse Bridge, of Wilbraham, Mass.
(855) Dr. Dudley, res. Springfield, Mass.

Ann Sophia res. in Springfield, where she d. June 16, 1879.

458 Sibyl Lamb Stocking and William Bodurtha had:

- (856) Jane E., b. August 16, 1830. m. Edwin S. Wright, July 14, 1852.
(857) Frances A., b. May 2, 1836. m. April 26, 1858, Wm. W. Amadon.
(858) Mary A., b. January 1, 1841. d. July 26, 1897. unm.

Res. Springfield, Mass. William was a shoemaker. Sibyl d. September 17, 1886.

460 Hannah Day Stocking and Lyman Miller had:

- (859) A son, b. 1833.
(860) Frances Elizabeth, b. March 4, 1835. d. young.
(861) Lyman Alexander, b. August 6, 1836. d. May 27, 1891.
(862) Robert Emmet, b. August 16, 1839.
(863) Marion A., b. August 16, 1839. d. August, 1877.
(864) Sarah J., b. September 13, 1841.

(865) Louise E., b. January 11, 1843. d. December 14, 1869.

(866) Georgiana, b. October 15, 1845. d. young.

Mr. Miller d. January 29, 1866. Hannah d. December 1, 1898. Res. Newport, Covington, and Paducah, Ky., Brookland and Metropolis, Ill. Son Lyman A. served in the Civil War, promoted from sergeant to captain, and was with Sherman in his march to the sea. Robert E. also served in the same war as private, for three years in Grant's Division, and in Hancock's afterwards until the end of the war.

461 Adaline Kellogg Stocking and Lucius B. Fletcher had:

(867) Romine, b. ——. He served in the Civil War, Co. A, 83d Regt., Pennsylvania Vol.

Adaline and her husband are both buried in Ludlow cemetery, Mass.

463 Alexander Stocking and Ann Patience Foster had:

(868) Anna Day, b. April 12, 1839. d. September 1, 1843.

(869) Ann Elizabeth, b. September 19, 1844. m. July 12, 1865, J. Edgar Davis.

(870) Sarah Augusta, b. June 14, 1854. d. 1855.

(871) Elisha Day, b. August 1, 1847. m. 1870, Ella Prentice. d. February 24, 1894.

Res. Worcester, Mass., where Alexander d. January 15, 1895. He was an armorer at the U. S. Armory in Springfield for many years; removed to Worcester in 1847, continuing gun-making with Allen & Turber, and others, and later on for himself. He was appointed inspector of fire-arms for the U. S. government during the Civil War, and afterwards superintendent of gun rifle works in Worcester, Mass. Being passionately fond of music, he devoted much of his time to it as teacher from 1850-65, and was the acknowledged head of the local music world in Worcester, and leader of the Unitarian Church choir. In 1865 Admiral Farragut visited the city as the guest of ex-Gov. Levi Lincoln, and the two attended divine service at this church. To their surprise and delight, and to that of the entire congregation, Alexander sang the "Star Spangled Banner," his superb

tenor voice lending so unusual a charm to the national song that the admiral sought an introduction to the gifted singer, and expressed his cordial thanks for the unexpected pleasure.

465 Billius Stocking and Patience Gray had:

- (872) Timothy, b. August 13, 1801. d. September 1, 1823.
- (873) Isaac G., b. January 11, 1804. m. May 8, 1829, Lainey McDowell.
- (874) Mary M., b. August 14, 1806. m. William Armstrong.
- (875) Billius, Jr., b. June 12, 1808. m. December 5, 1838, Mary Hunt.
- (876) Daniel C., b. August 28, 1810. m. September 14, 1837, Mary Hanna.
- (877) Martha S., b. May 12, 1812. m. August 31, 1830, Henry McFadden.
- (878) Harriet N., b. December 26, 1814. m. George McFadden.
- (879) James F., b. October 2, 1817. m. October 8, 1846, Jane Chambers.
- (880) Melissa, b. February 9, 1820. m. R. Spooner.
- (881) Dr. Duncan F., b. August 26, 1822. m. Susan Whiteside.

Billius was b. in Sandisfield, Mass., August 7, 1779, and d. October 11, 1851. He was a farmer, and elder of the Presbyterian Church. Patience was b. December 23, 1776, d. April 20, 1850. She was dau. of Isaac and Elizabeth (Baker) Gray, whose fathers were captains in the Revolutionary army. This family res. in Lisbon, N. Y.

467 Otis Isam Stocking and Prudence Thayer had:

- (882) Adaline S., b. April 24, 1830. m. Leonard Jackson. She d. 1889.
- (883) Montsire D., b. May 12, 1832. m. July 4, 1855, Elizabeth Myers.
- (884) Marcia, b. September 17, 1834. m. December 24, 1852, Herman Wicks.
- (885) Amanda S., b. January 10, 1836. m. Frederick Small.
- (886) Alena D., b. May 13, 1838. m. December 25, 1856, Herbert Small.
- (887) Henry J., b. November 4, 1840. m. December 25, 1864, Helen Wagar.
- (888) Alsina L., b. May 14, 1842. m. January 1, 1856, William L. Wicks.

- (889) Lailey Hezekiah, b. September 5, 1844. m. Julia Bates.
- (890) Andrew J., b. September 10, 1845. m. July 18, 1868, Elna E. Burke.
- (891) William S., b. October, 1847. m. Nellie Reckard. Res. Coopers-town. A farmer.
- (892) Helen V., b. November 14, 1849. d. July 17, 1865.
- (893) Charlotte, b. September 8, 1851. m. George Lippitt. She d. July 27, 1884.
- (894) Harry B., b. April 8, 1855.
- (895) H. Elbert, b. April 8, 1855. m. Elvira Hokam.

Otis I. was b. in Warren, Herkimer Co., N. Y., and d. October 16, 1883, at Cooperstown, N. Y. Prudence was dau. of William Thayer, of Hardwick, Mass. Was b. 1810; rem. to Springfield in 1819, and d. there 1877.

468 Charles Rathbone Stocking and Margaret Ann Renry had:

- (896) George B., b. February 12, 1850. d. November 4, 1865.
- (897) Joseph S., b. October 28, 1851. unm.
- (898) Martin H., b. March 11, 1853. d. February 16, 1867.
- (899) Mary E., b. February 26, 1855. m. William McGinnis. No child.
- (900) Addie M., b. January 5, 1858. m. Harry White, of New York City.
- (901) Ella C., b. August 3, 1860. m. William Adams.
- (902) William H., b. February 8, 1863. unm.

Charles R. d. February 12, 1897. His widow res. in Cooperstown, N. Y., with her son Joseph.

470 Daniel Azen Stocking and Lucy E. Coleman had:

- (903) Samuel Schuyler, b. 1842. m. Jane Eason. Had dau. Lucy and Edith. He d. 1873.
- (904) Alice Davenport, b. July 5, 1843. d. April, 1882.
- (905) Rev. James Brainard, b. December 15, 1848. m. July 1, 1876, Julia E. Dole.
- (906) Frank Henry, b. August 24, 1850. m. January 1, 1878, Emma Kent. Had dau. Phœbe. He d. February, 1902.

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- (907) Alfred D., b. November 9, 1852. m. September 1, 1875, Elizabeth Ward.
 (908) George, b. June 15, 1858. m. December 1, 1885, Minnie Denison.
 Daniel A. d. March 3, 1885. Lucy E. was from Elyria, O.
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471 Camilla Carpenter Stocking and Owen Sayles had:

- (909) Phoebe Celesta, b. about 1840. m. February 19, 1861, William D. Tompkins.
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473 Charles Carpenter Stocking and Lydia Louisa Loomis had:

- (910) Philena, b. March 17, 1835. d. April 24, 1837.
 (911) Edwin, b. December 30, 1836. m. Caroline Peekham.
 (912) Mary Phylena, b. September 15, 1838. m. January 20, 1859, John Kidder Fuller.
 (913) Lydia, b. September 6, 1840. d. May 15, 1841.
 (914) Lucia, b. September 6, 1840. d. May 23, 1841.
 (915) Edney, b. August 22, 1845. d. same day.
 (916) Edgar Loomis, b. August 22, 1845. m. October 18, 1875, Mary Elizabeth Barnes.

Charles C. was b. at Springfield, N. Y., d. at Grand Ledge, Mich., August 25, 1887. The career of this remarkable man calls for a fuller sketch than is allotted to most of his kinsmen. He was six feet, two and a half inches in height, and weighed at one time 300 pounds, a man of herculean strength, and his mental corresponded to his physical energy. Educated in the common schools of the day, he worked on his father's farm during the spring and summer, where he early developed a fondness for animals. At eight years of age he owned a pair of steers which he had trained to the yoke, and for the next four years his special delight was to drive cattle to the Albany market. At the age of sixteen he was the owner of land and fine stock of his own raising, which he drove to Albany, and then shipped to New York, where, at the Bull's Head Tavern, the drover's divided their admiration between his fine sheep and lambs and the "Boy Drover," as they called him. This juvenile enterprise soon developed into a systematic and organized cattle trade in which he was very prosperous. He married, in 1832, Miss Lydia L. Loomis, an amiable and attractive

young lady, who proved to be a most loving and devoted helpmeet. Amid all his business ventures and engrossing duties, he had found time to exhibit a patriotic spirit, and at eighteen years of age, he was commissioned lieutenant of militia, being soon promoted to the rank of major.

In 1833, when loading a drove of cattle at Albany, the herd was precipitated into the river, and swam for the opposite shore. His exposure to cold and wet in recovering them, resulted in lung fever, from the effects of which he never fully recovered. Close upon this affliction came severe financial losses through a member of a firm in which he had largely invested, and he sold all his property and removed to Adam's Basin, on the Erie Canal. Here a daring exploit arrested the attention and admiration of a crowd of men at the tavern, who had been competing for a prize of ten dollars for breaking a wild colt. After all others had failed, Mr. Stocking mounted the wild animal, rode like the wind for several miles, and returned the colt three days later, subdued and gentle, to his owner. After spending a year or two in different employments, he found his health sufficiently restored to engage again in active business, and he became a butcher and drover, supplying the markets of Lockport and Rochester. In this business he was again defrauded by a partner whom he simply dismissed without prosecution.

A valuable sheep dog which had been stolen, and given up as lost, made his way back again on a canal-boat, and with remarkable instinct, leaped to the shore when twenty-five miles away from his old home, and bounded into the arms of his kind and attached master.

In 1842 he engaged also in the provision business, taking as a partner one James Powers, an Englishman. The following year he purchased the "G" and the "Wilkinson," the latter for transporting both provisions and passengers on the Erie Canal. On one occasion his boat was attacked by a crowd of Irish people just returned from a wedding, and full of whiskey. He happened to be in the cabin, and with only a club he dispersed the mob, leaving many prostrated in the dust by his prodigious strength.

In 1849 his beloved and noble wife died, and being left with young children and an aged father, he married Mrs. Mary Willard, an estimable Christian woman. To his other enterprises he added the manufacture of cow-bells, and when the N. Y. Central R. R. was begun, he was a heavy contractor, building many bridges and all the fences, and distributing ties and rails from Niagara Falls to Medina. When the Erie Canal was enlarged, he acted as a detective for recovering stolen property, and preserving order among gangs of foreign and half-savage laborers.

He early formed a strong friendship with Daniel Drew and Cornelius Vanderbilt, with whom he was in frequent business association. In January, 1866, he moved to Grand Ledge, Mich., and he had vigor enough at

58 years of age to clear 60 acres of land for a farm, and build the necessary houses and barns. He passed to the other life, August 25, 1867, honored and regretted by all who knew him, and he was buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Oneida, Mich.

479 Rosetta Stocking and — Miller had:

- (917) Ophelia, b. —. m. — Varney, of Olean, N. Y.
 - (918) Deliza, b. —. m. — Dodge, of Pekin, N. Y.
 - (919) Charles, b. —. d. in Military Hospital at Washington, 1863.
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482 Emily Amelia Stocking and Eli English had:

- (923) Nathan Frederic, b. June 29, 1822. m. December 9, 1845, Emily Livermore, Hartland, Vt.
 - (924) Jane Ann Brown, b. August 10, 1824. m. Frederic A. Pelton, Woodstock, Vt.
 - (925) Caroline Elizabeth, b. June 21, 1833. m. September 22, 1851, Ezra P. Chandler, Peru, Vt.
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483 Sarah Ann Stocking and Harvey Chapin had:

- (926) Lorenzo Belden, b. November 3, 1823. m. Maria Hull; m. 2d Catherine Kilray. He d. July 10, 1890.
- (927) Sarah Ann, b. 1826. m. Daniel Merrick Leonard, of West Springfield, Mass. She d. 1859. He d. 1888. They had Anna Estelle, b. June 20, 1849. unm. She res. in Boston.
- (928) Emeline A., b. June 26, 1827. m. Alfred Tinkham (b. June 26, 1824); d. November 17, 1895.
- (929) Amanda Malvina, b. March 17, 1830. unm.
- (930) Janette D., b. May 20, 1832. m. Samuel Russell (b. August 1, 1822), d. April 27, 1882. She d. February 12, 1878.
- (931) Eleanor, b. June 17, 1836. m. Wm. Prescott Eliot (b. July 2, 1826); d. February 20, 1885. She d. January 10, 1888.
- (932) Harriet, b. 1838. m. Arques Near. She d. 1873. He d. 1875.

Sarah was b. February 3, 1797, and d. March 12, 1870. Mr. Chapin was b. February 9, 1796, and d. January 15, 1870.

484 Caroline Ramsdell Stocking and Jacob Carter had:

- (933) Caroline Elizabeth, b. May 3, 1826. m. September 7, 1827, Wm. Wallace Taylor, Concord, N. H.
- (934) Abiel, b. April 28, 1827. m. Martha Vesta Emery. He d. January 3, 1898. Res. Portland, Me.
- (935) Clara Anna, b. August 9, 1837. m. December 4, 1873, George Edward Tinker, of Concord, N. H.
- (936) John William Dodge, b. April 20, 1840. m. October 3, 1870, Agnes Hudson. Res. Portland, Me.

Res. Hanover and Concord, N. H.

485 Almira Stocking and John Petrie had:

- (937) Abigail Ann, b. 1830. d. April 2, 1880.
- (938) Isabel Melissa, b. 1833. d. June 23, 1880.
- (939) John, b. 1834. d. November 2, 1838.
- (940) Caroline Almira, b. June 15, 1840. m. Nathan Sheppard, of Baltimore. She d. August 28, 1896. He d. February 1, 1888.

Almira d. in Hartland, Vt., June 16, 1851. John d. December 14, 1881.

486 Mary Ann Stocking and George Petrie had:

- (941) George S., b. March 12, 1834. m. May 6, 1866, Louise Harvey, of St. Louis, Mo. He d. April 11, 1879, at San Antonio.
- (942) Mary Ann, b. October 8, 1838. d. January 6, 1861.
- (943) Sarah Jane, b. November 28, 1840. m. December 28, 1860, Joseph Clough; m. 2d Levi McMahan, 1880. She d. 1890.
- (944) John Belden, b. January 24, 1843.
- (945) Lucie Elizabeth, b. December 6, 1849. m. May 3, 1876, Chas. Henry Thacher, of Wichita, Kan.

Mary Ann was but two years old when her father died, and she was brought up by her grandfather Reuben, with whom she lived until her marriage. She d. in Hartland, Vt., April 7, 1886. George d. 1877.

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488 Dr. Samuel Marvin Stocking and Caroline A. Winchell had:

- (946) Marah L., b. September 4, 1834. m. Brice W. Custer, half-brother of Gen. Geo. W. Custer.
- (947) Dr. Leander, b. November 4, 1836. m. Nettie Thomas.
- (948) Mason, b. August 14, 1839.
- (949) Virgil, b. April 28, 1841.

Dr. Samuel d. July 30, 1888. Res. in Cleveland, Hagerstown, and Carrolton, O.

489 Charles Stocking and Jane Winchell had:

- (950) Dr. Edward, b. June 7, 1836. m. Cornelia Harriman. Six children.
 - (951) Charles H., b. July 10, 1838. m. August 27, 1861, Mary L. Slaton. Res. Sacramento.
 - (952) Martha, b. November 10, 1834. m. 1850, Dr. James Cottar, of Iowa. Seven children.
 - (953) Mary, m. — Williams, of Sacramento.
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491 Francis Stocking and Lois Levin had:

- (954) Mary Ann, b. —.
- (955) John.
- (956) Reuben.
- (957) Lois.

Wife Lois d. in 1844, and Francis m. 2d, 1845, Mary Neale. They had:

- (958) Henry Francis, b. May 7, 1847. m. 1871, Anna G. Pepper.
 - (959) Edward, b. 1849. d. 1854.
 - (960) Julia, b. 1852. d. 1855.
 - (961) Maggie, b. November 4, 1856. m. 1884, John H. Jones.
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492 Lavinia Stocking and Augustus Sisson had:

- (961A) Alonzo, d. at the age of 16.

Lavinia was b. in Suffield, Conn. Her married life was short and for thirty-eight years after the death of her young son, she devoted herself to

a life of Christian beneficence. She d. at Sheridan, N. Y., January 27, 1892, after a long illness, borne with exemplary fortitude and patience, and in the home of her pastor, the Rev. G. W. Chesbro, leaving all of her property to the African Mission of the M. E. Bishop, Wm. Taylor. She is buried in Willoughby, O.

493 Lyman Stocking and Elizabeth Hendrickson had:

(962) Jesse Lee, b. February 28, 1838. d. July 26, 1853.

(963) George Scott, b. ——. m. Carrie L. Palmer, August 24, 1862.

(964) Rev. Charles Hendrickson, b. July 4, 1842. m. September 27, 1869, Adella Madora Wilkins.

(965) John Wesley, b. ——. m. Emma S. Pinney, March 23, 1881.

Elizabeth was b. in Mentor, Lake Co., Ohio, and d. August 5, 1863, after an illness of twelve years, which she bore with exemplary faith and patience. Lyman m. 2d Mrs. Rebekah Boyes.

495 Charles Stocking and Leonora Turner had:

(966) Horace.

(967) Lyman.

(967A) Lovina.

(968) Charles.

Rem. from Ohio to Waverly, Ia., in 1883; thence to Dakota in 1888, and now reside at Gig Harbor, Wash.

496 William Hurd Stocking and Harriet Rebecca Elliott had:

(969) George Wm., b. August 6, 1835. m. April 5, 1856, Emeline Ludlow Petersen.

(970) Lucia A., m. Judge C. R. Lord. Res. California.

William H. m. 2d Grace Comstock, and had:

(971) Harriet, b. ——. m. Charles Wright, who had son Joseph.

Wm. H. m. 3d Elizabeth Burroughs.

Wm. Hurd was b. in Enfield, Conn., 1803, and at his father's death, in

1825, he rem. with his widowed mother to Hambden, O., thence to Newton Falls, where he now resides, being in his 100th year. He has never used spectacles, or eye-glasses, his eye-sight having always been perfect, and at this writing he attends to his business daily. His friends and neighbors recently gave him a large birthday party, at which he was as lively as any of his guests.

497 Patrick Newell Stocking and Susan Penfield had:

- (972) Maria Jeanette, b. February 4, 1829. m. June 6, 1848, Dr. Dennis Trumbull.
 (973) George Eber, b. March 7, 1833. m. October 14, 1858, Emily Roberts.

Patrick N. d. in Michigan, October 7, 1833.

500 Clarissa Stocking and Abram Oxer had:

- (974) Byron.
 (975) Perry.
 (976) Burr.

Clarissa d. October 27, 1848.

501 Caroline Stocking and Hiram Crane had:

- (977)
 (978)

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502 James Randall Stocking and Celestia Lord had:

- (979) Cora.
 (980) Reuben.

James m. 2d — — —, and had:

- (981) Frederick.

Res. Valley Ford, Cal.

504 Thomas Robbins Stocking and Julia Bidwell had:

- (982) Jane B., b. August 20, 1836. Res. Farmington, Conn.
- (983) Maria, b. October 6, 1838. m. June 2, 1863, Miles Isaac Bull.
- (984) Joseph A., b. January 7, 1840. m. 1865, Jeanette Matheson, or Mattison.
- (985) Eliza Robbins, b. 1842. d. young.

Thomas R. was b. in Utica, N. Y., and d. in Buffalo, 1895. Julia was b. in Farmington, Conn., and d. in Buffalo, November 5, 1859.

505 Elizabeth Stocking and Elias A. Lewis had:

- (986) Joseph, b. January 10, 1844. Killed in the Angola disaster, December 18, 1867.
- (987) Mary A., b. December 13, 1851. unm. Res. Buffalo.
- (988) George A., b. April 9, 1855. m. October 5, 1876, Mary Beardsley Bryan, of Batavia, N. Y.

Res. Buffalo, N. Y., where son George A., is an attorney and counselor at law. Elizabeth was b. in Buffalo, July 25, 1822, and d. December 10, 1899. Elias d. August, 1873.

508 Mary Sheldon Stocking and Josiah Marshall had:

- (989) Dr. Samuel Stocking, b. September 5, 1827.
- (990) John Jones, b. August 30, 1828. d. young.
- (991) Henry, b. December 18, 1829.
- (992) Mary, b. April 30, 1831. m. December 8, 1851, James W. Bond. Res. Fort Erie, Ontario.
- (993) Benjamin Sheldon, b. March 31, 1833. d. young.
- (994) Emily Otis, b. August 7, 1836. m. June 9, 1858, Hon. George Wadsworth, of Buffalo.
- (995) Charles, b. January 18, 1839. d. 1860, in South Africa.
- (996) Priscilla Read, b. May 18, 1842. m. June 7, 1866, Samuel R. B. Lord, of Chicago.
- (997) Josiah, b. April 29, 1848.

Mary Sheldon Stocking was b. in Utica, N. Y.; graduated from Willard Seminary, Troy, N. Y.; married the son of a prominent East India mer-

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chant; res. in Utica for several years. She rem. successively to New York City, Oswego, Montreal, Auburn, N. Y., Morristown, N. Y., and finally to Buffalo, where she d. September 27, 1887. She was a woman of fine scholarship, executive ability, and devoted Christian life. Her parents' ample fortune, and the elegancies of her social and domestic surroundings, afforded her unusual opportunities for self-culture, and she developed a personal character that made her conspicuous in the virtues and graces of a sterling womanhood. Her last twenty-one years were spent in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emily Marshall Wadsworth, Buffalo, N. Y. Her son Samuel rem. to London, England, where he graduated in medicine, and then settled in New Orleans, where he d. of yellow fever, September 5, 1854, the disease having been contracted while attending his patients.

509 James Madison Stocking and Catherine Metcalf had:

- (998) Mary, b. May 20, 1832. d. 1833.
- (999) Sophia E., b. December 16, 1834. m. 1860, Dr. Blodgett, of Cooperstown, N. Y.
- (1000) Fanny Hyde, b. June 4, 1836. unm. Utica, N. Y.
- (1001) Susan Porter, b. February 1, 1838. unm. Utica, N. Y.
- (1002) Samuel, b. February 21, 1840. m. November 20, 1871, Alline N. Williams.
- (1003) Mary Metcalf, b. January 24, 1842. m. Dr. — Root, of Cooperstown, N. Y.
- (1004) Frederick Tiffany, b. May 4, 1844. Res. in Utica.

James Madison res. in Utica, N. Y., where he d. January 11, 1862. He studied law, relinquishing that profession to engage with his father in the fur and hat business. Wife Catherine d. February 11, 1893.

516 Samuel Stocking and Frances Jane Bates had:

- (1005) C. J., b. —. m. April 5, 1900, Maud Estelle Kirby. Res. New York City.

Samuel res. in New York City, where he was for fifteen years the manager of the business of Genin, the famous hatter.

526 Sally Stocking and Joseph Williams had:

- (1006) Horace Stocking, b. December 13, 1818. d. young.
 - (1007) Joseph, b. June 23, 1820, m. November 2, 1850, Margaret C. Martin, of Wilmington, N. C.
 - (1008) Gustavus, b. August 31, 1822. d. young.
 - (1009) Horace, b. February 22, 1825. d. February 28, 1852.
 - (1010) Sarah Gould, b. March 26, 1827. m. October 12, 1859, John Camp, of Middletown, Conn. Sally d. 1875.
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533 William Stocking and Sarah Mildrum had:

- (1011) William Morrison, b. June 27, 1832. m. 1868, Hannah Fairgrieves.
 - (1012) Jeanette Shephard, b. March 24, 1834. m. Revilo C. Hubbard.
 - (1013) Harriet Maria, b. March 28, 1836. m. Chas. Belcher Stocking.
 - (1014) Roderick Michael, b. July 31, 1842. m. Harriet Brightman.
- Res. Cromwell, Conn.
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535 Betsey Latham Stocking and Ansel Wilcox had:

- (1015) Elizabeth Maria, b. June 14, 1823. m. July 2, 1843, Loudon Edward Bailey.
 - (1016) Lucy, b. March 2, 1827.
- Res. Cromwell, Conn.
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537 Hannah Stocking and Amos Tryon had:

- (1017) Daniel, bap. August 27, 1820. A seaman.
 - (1018) William Wilcox, bap. August 27, 1820.
 - (1019) Samuel, res. Cromwell, Conn.
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544 Julia Stocking and Charles Darrow had:

- (1020) Caroline Eliza, b. January 7, 1834. m. October 19, 1853, Jeremiah Hotchkiss.

546 Rev. William Redfield Stocking and Jerusha E. Gilbert had:

- (1021) J. Emily, b. April 28, 1842. m. December 8, 1865, Rev. Alfred T. Waterman.
- (1022) Rev. William Redfield, Jr., b. March 31, 1844. m. June 20, 1871, Hattie E. Lyman; m. 2d Isabella C. Baker.
- (1023) Harriet Stoddard, b. October 28, 1848. m. May 16, 1872, Rev Rodney L. Tabor.
- (1024) Ezra Gilbert, b. January 4, 1851. m. Hattie Grinnell; m. 2d Kate MacMahon.

Rev. William Redfield Stocking was b. in Upper Middletown; fitted for Yale College at Monson (Mass.) Academy; engaged in teaching in the Sandwich Islands under the auspices of the Missionary Board; chosen principal of a boys' seminary in Persia; set apart in January, 1837, as a missionary teacher to the Nestorians at Oroomiah (Nomiah), Persia; was in charge of the village schools there; treasurer of the Mission fourteen years; ordained April 18, 1841, in the Nestorian Church of St. Mary, Oroomiah; preached in the native tongue with ability and success; returned to America for a temporary rest, intending to resume his foreign work, but d. April 30, 1854, in New York City, at the home of John H. Redfield.

Wife Jerusha was the dau. of Ezra and Rebecca (Miner) Gilbert. b. in Weston, Conn., but res. in Colebrook, Conn.; graduated at the Hartford Female Seminary; taught in Middletown; lived in Persia seventeen years after her marriage, and d. June 28, 1892, in Alameda, Cal. Children all b. in Persia.

548 Francis Stocking and Abigail McKee had:

- (1025) Frederick McKee, b. July 29, 1829. m. December 15, 1855, Lucinda L. Lines.
- (1026) Francis McKee, b. July 29, 1829. m. February 16, 1862, Ann Eliza James.

Francis d. at sea on board the brig *Purrington*, of New York, bound home from Havana, in 1830. Abigail was b. July 12, 1806, and d. October 15, 1833, of injuries sustained by the bursting of the boiler of the steamer *New England* while on her passage from Albany, N. Y., to Middletown, Conn., her twin sons being with her at the time. She was the dau. of Russell and Abigail McKee, of Cromwell, Conn.

549 John Stocking, Jr., and Susan Belden had:

(1027) Josiah Belden, b. ——. Res. Cromwell, Conn.

(1028) Elizabeth, b. ——. m. D. Roberts, of Middletown.

John, Jr., d. February 5, 1890. Res. Middletown.

551A Ansel Stocking, Jr., and Annie Wheeler had:

(1028A) Laura Minerva, b. April 15, 1823. d. young.

(1028B) John Lyman, b. September 12, 1825. m. April 22, 1852, Ophelia Lawrence.

(1028C) William Herbert, b. August 3, 1829. d. 1849. unm.

Ansel was b. at Franklin, N. Y.; d. March 6, 1831. Res. Perry, N. Y., Waysox, Penn., and Collinsville, N. Y.

553 Walter Stocking and Rebecca Downey had:

(1029) Phœbe Eliza, b. January 12, 1835. m. Volney Boyce.

(1030) Walter Lewis, b. July 8, 1836. m. Jane Ann Pramer.

(1031) Luther Ansel, b. September 15, 1838. m. Margaret Winters.

(1032) Edgar Henry, b. November 14, 1839. m. Flora Sutherland; m. 2d Emma Burdick.

(1033) Mary Adelaide, b. May 24, 1841. m. Eli White.

(1034) Bolton, d. young.

(1035) Dr. Leonard Emiah, b. December 2, 1846. m. September 6, 1876, Helen L. Whiteman.

(1036) Jennie Almira, b. January 26, 1849. unm. Postmistress, Belgrade, Mo.

(1037) Charles Adelbert, b. February 21, 1852. m. Hattie E. Hunter; m. 2d Sallie St. Clair Brickey.

(1038) Henrietta Laura, b. June 9, 1856. m. Chas. McIntire.

Walter was b. in Turin, N. Y., where he worked in wood, iron, and leather, having a decided mechanical talent. He rem. to Sharon, Wis., where he engaged in farming. Selling his farm, in 1865, he rem. to Allen's Grove, Wis., to educate his children. Two years later he bought a farm in Caledonia, Mo., and in 1890 was appointed postmaster. In 1893 the post-office was burned, and while endeavoring to save the government funds,

he was so badly burned that he died from his injuries in a few hours, a martyr to official duty.

Rebecca Downey was a lineal descendant of Commodore Downey of the English navy, b. January 5, 1813, and dau. of Robert and Huldah Downey, Bristol, Vt. d. at Sabetha, Kan., July 24, 1894.

554 Sarah Ann Stocking and James Roberts had:

(1039) Walter.

(1040) Lot.

568 John Miles Stocking and Emeline Newell had:

(1041) Harriet, b. May 23, 1836. m. May 23, 1859, Henry E. Lathrop.

(1042) Gilbert Miles, b. December 22, 1838. unm.

(1043) William, b. December 11, 1840. m. May 19, 1869, Elizabeth Lyman.

Dea. John Miles was b. in Goshen, Conn.; rem. to Waterbury, and engaged in the brass-burnishing business, afterwards in company with Merritt Nichols, carried on a foundry business at Hopeville, Conn., 1850-60. He invented a machine for splitting matches in the block before dipping, and was altogether a mechanical genius. He was deacon of the First Congregational Church, 1859-73, a strong anti-slavery partisan, a great reader of history and theology, of a severe cast of thought and manner in younger life, but a mellow and genial companion as he aged. He d. February 24, 1873.

Emeline was b. in Southington, Conn., October 25, 1809. Dau. of Amos and Lucy (Root) Newell, and d. in Waterbury, March, 1883.

569 Samuel Judd Stocking and Orril Coe had:

(1044) Eliza Ann, b. June 22, 1837. d. March 30, 1852.

(1045) Charlotte Coe, b. November 27, 1839. m. May 9, 1866, Henry D. Pierce, of Garretttsville, O.

(1046) Harvey Miles, b. May 23, 1843. m. October 29, 1870, Mary I. King, of Terre Haute, Ind. He d. February 18, 1873. She d. October 31, 1876.

(1047) Emma Orril, b. November 26, 1850. m. September 10, 1870, Henry A. Weir, of Garretttsville, O.

Wife Orril d. December 8, 1850, in Torrington and Samuel J. m. 2d, June 9, 1852, Mary Louise Fellows of Cornwall, Conn., they had:

(1048) Frank Lewis, b. August 11, 1855. m. April 26, 1878, Hattie L. Smith. Res. Tacoma, Wash.

(1049) Martha Eliza, b. November 7, 1857.

Orril Coe was b. November 25, 1810. 2d wife, Mary L., was b. May 4, 1827, and d. December 3, 1886.

570 Anson G. Stocking and Sarah A. Frost had:

(1050) Henry M., b. August 19, 1840. m. November 3, 1863, Ellen A. Mallory.

(1051) George Anson, b. May 25, 1844. m. February 11, 1869, Annie Dearth.

(1052) Charles Lampson, b. December 10, 1851. m. November 2, 1876, Linnie Ross.

(1053) Sarah Maria, b. July 31, 1856. unm. Res. Torrington, Conn.

Anson G. was b. in Goshen, Conn., where he afterwards had a summer home. He was engaged in the button business in Waterbury, Conn. He and his brother Samuel organized the first fire company in that town, their fire-engine resembling a churn on two wheels, and operated by cranks. He was a member of the school board, a devoted adherent of the Congregational Church, and a genial and affable man. He d. in Wallingford, Conn., March 17, 1890.

571 Mercia Stocking and Joseph K. Barrett had:

(1054) Caroline M., b. March 22, 1837. m. March 17, 1859, William Adams; m. 2d, August 22, 1872, Dr. Julius Rising.

(1055) Joseph L., b. December 13, 1838. m. July 30, 1872, Elizabeth Carpenter.

(1056) Phila E., b. March 17, 1842.

(1057) Julia A., b. May 2, 1843. m. April 4, 1865, Hiram E. Welton.

(1058) Sarah E., b. November 13, 1846. d. January 31, 1884.

(1059) George A., b. August 16, 1847. m. January 29, 1872, Sarah Dent.

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- (1060) Samuel J., b. October 16, 1849. m. March 22, 1871, Ella H. Sweet. He d. April, 1871.
 (1061) John E., b. December 19, 1852. d. August 22, 1871.
 (1062) Emma D., b. January 11, 1854.
 (1063) Mary L., b. October 14, 1856.
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574 Omar Coe Stocking and Louisa Pierce had:

- (1064) Edwin Coe, b. October 30, 1856. m. June 10, 1880, Belle S. Crawford. Res. Chicago.
 (1065) Albert Peirce, b. November 13, 1860. m. October 2, 1884, Mary E. Jones. A merchant in Boulder, Colo.

Omar C. is a fruit-grower at Hiram, O. Served in the Civil War, 20th Conn. Regt.; was with Hooker at Lookout Mountain, with Sherman in his march to the sea, and participated in sixteen battles. Is now a pensioner.

577 Eber N. Stocking and Ann J. Goodell had:

- (1066) Irwin Coe, b. October 2, 1868. d. May 14, 1879.
 (1067) Leila Bell, b. July 3, 1871. m. April 12, 1892, Lewis G. Call.
 (1068) Anna Goodell, b. December 27, 1872. m. April 22, 1891, Frank L. Call.
 (1069) Hubert Norton, b. May 18, 1875. m. January 1, 1901, Jennie White.
 (1070) Clifford Dodge, b. June 9, 1878.
 (1071) Harry Vinton, b. September 20, 1880.
 (1072) Carlyle Morton, b. June 27, 1883. d. young.
 (1073) Glenny Ayres, b. February 19, 1890.

Eber rem. from Ohio to Santa Cruz, Cal., where he now owns a fruit ranch. He served in the Civil War, First Regt. Conn. Heavy Artillery, and is a pensioner.

582 Charles Belcher Stocking and Harriet M. Stocking had:

- (1074) Charles Augustus, b. August 18, 1865. Res. Cromwell.
 Charles B. d. in Cromwell, Conn., 1889.

583 Henry W. Stocking and Harriette Hubbard had no children.

He was a prominent citizen of Cromwell, Conn., farmer and carpenter, member of the Cromwell Guards, a Free and Accepted Mason, member of the legislature, and of the Baptist Church. Harriette is the dau. of Ralph and Clarissa (Roberts) Hubbard.

584 Caroline Stocking and George W. Smith had:

(1074A) Harry.

(1074B) Louie.

Res. Middletown, Conn.

589 George Henry Stocking and Louisa J. Gordon had:

(1075) Charles.

George rem. to Beloit, Wis., where he d. August 10, 1875. A saddler by trade.

591 Elisha Stocking and Harriet E. Pinney had:

(1076) Sarah C., b. February 18, 1857. unm.

(1077) Willie, b. August 19, 1862. d. May 19, 1881.

(1078) Annie, b. June 29, 1872. m. February 1, 1894, Herbert L. Barton, of Middletown.

Elisha was a joiner by trade, became a coasting captain, and lastly, a coal-merchant. He d. May 15, 1887. Wife Harriet d. September 8, 1886.

592 Capt. Ralph Stocking and Adelaide E. Jones had:

(1079) Frederick Ralph, b. November 13, 1856. d. February 6, 1863.

(1080) Nellie Elizabeth, b. August 7, 1858. m. January 26, 1886, John McFadyen. Res. Hartford, Conn.

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- (1081) Adelaide Edwards, b. August 9, 1860. m. August 27, 1879,
Dr. Edgar Miles Beckley.
- (1082) Edward Wells, b. November 4, 1862. m. January 8, 1890, Ida
Helen Byles. Steamboat captain. Res. New York City.
- (1083) Herbert Latimer, b. May 21, 1871. Ticket agent and telegraph
operator, Consolidated R. R.
- Capt. Ralph res. in Cromwell, Conn. A retired sea-captain.
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595 Jonathan Smith Stocking and Sabrina Lilly had:

- (1084) Constant, b. ——.
- (1085) Darwin, b. ——.
- Res. Brighton, O.
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598 Abner Stocking and Gracia Porter had:

- (1086) William.
- (1087) Delia.
- Res. Bennett Station, Neb.
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600 Herod Stocking and Adaline Fitch had:

- (1088) Charles F., b. August 4, 1842. d. April 14, 1898. m. January,
1875, Sarah E. Wickham.
- (1089) Roselle, b. December 21, 1845. d. young.
- (1090) Joseph, b. 1848. d. young.
- (1091) Joseph Chester, b. December 2, 1852. m. August 20, 1876,
Lydia A. Bradbrook.
- (1092) Willis Marshall, b. January 31, 1861. m. April 27, 1886, Emma
O. Rochty.

Herod was a carpenter by trade. In 1868 he bought a farm in Ohio, which he worked until 1883, when he sold out, and rem. to Grand Rapids, O., where he still resides.

604 Abram Stocking and Henrietta Colton had:

- (1093) Bradley, d. young of spinal disease.
- (1094) George, d. young.

(1095) Julia Adelaide, b. 1847. m. Chas. A. Gould.

(1096) William, b. 1849. Res. Napoleon, Mich., and State of Washington.

Abram was b. in Ashfield, Mass.; rem. to York, Livingston Co., N. Y., where he engaged in mercantile business. Rem. to Tecumseh, Mich., and finally, with his brother Dexter, to Illinois, where he d. Henrietta was b. in Caledonia, N. Y.. February 14, 1816, and d. in Manchester, Mich., September 14, 1853.

605 Mary Ann Stocking and Elliot M. Gray had:

(1097) William. An engineer. Res. Tecumseh, Mich.

(1098) Edith. Res. Tecumseh.

(1099) Ellen, d. at Tecumseh, aged 22.

(1100) Wallace. A farmer. Res. Tecumseh, Mich.

(1101) Volney, d. young.

(1102) Marion Adelaide, d. aged 10 years.

(1103) Charles. Res. Tecumseh.

Res. Sharon and Tecumseh, Mich. Mr. Gray was a farmer, merchant, and engineer.

606 George Stocking and Eliza Smith had:

(1104) Adelbert, b. September 26, 1845. m. October, 1875, Kate Phelps, of New York.

(1105) Frank Melville, b. July 28, 1853. m. July 27, 18—, Lillian A. Safford.

(1106) Ellsworth, b. October 20, 1860. m. September 14, 1887, Dora D. Rich.

George d. September 3, 1889. Eliza d. September 3, 1891. George was b. in Pittsfield, Mass., married Eliza Smith in Utica, N. Y. He organized a mercantile company which sold goods in the early days from road wagons. He was a farmer near Utica for several years; emigrated in 1849 to the wilds of Wisconsin, near Berlin, 87 miles from the present city of Milwaukee, where on Rush Lake he eventually acquired a large and valuable estate. He was honored for his sterling character, and was influential throughout the county.

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607 Abigail Stocking and Alexander Green had:

(1107) George.

(1108) Edgar. Soldier in Civil War, 11th Regt., Michigan Vol.

Alexander Green was a carpenter and machinist, and in later life a manufacturer of farming implements. Res. Tecumseh, Mich., and Sturgis, where he d. Abigail d. September 1, 1864.

608 Roswell Stocking and Augusta Clisbee had:

(1109) Frank, unm. Photographer, crayon artist, and musician.

(1110) Lester. Railroad man. Res. Chicago.

(1111) Roswell, Jr., unm. A musician. Res. St. Louis, Mo.

(1112) Ellen, m. — Rote; m. 2d — Miller. Res. Chicago. Had dau. Ethel.

(1113) Annie, m. — Lewellyn. Res. Chicago. Two children.

(1114) Lucy, unm. d. in St. Louis, aged 18.

Roswell was b. in Ashfield, Mass.; rem. to York State, and engaged in the business of general merchandise. Rem. to Illinois, where he was engaged in business with his brother Dexter, and thence rem. to St. Louis, where he d. March 10, 1883, from nervous prostration caused by an accident.

609 Amaziah Toby Stocking and Julia Chapman had:

(1115) Nicholas Warren.

Amaziah was b. in Ashfield, Mass. He disappeared for several years, and finally returned, having been in the Indies. Was a photographer, and res. successively in Maine, Ill., Michigan, and Wisconsin, where he d. 1898. His son Nicholas was b. in Searsport, Me.; rem. to the West, where he became interested in mining.

610 Dexter Stocking and Lucy Clisbee had:

(1116) George, b. July 18, 1852. m. June 1, 1887, Mary E. —. Res. Santa Rosa, Cal.

(1117) Alice, b. May 6, 1854. m. 1884, J. S. Carson. Res. Montana.

(1118) Albert, b. February 12, 1857. Res. Santa Rosa, Cal.



MRS. LAVINA STOCKING WARREN.

Dexter was b. in Ashfield, Mass., where he res. until of age, then went into the dry goods business in New York State. Rem. to Tecumseh, Mich., served as soldier in the Mexican War, and settled in Taylor, Ogle Co., Illinois, where he was a merchant and postmaster for several years. In 1864 he took a large drove of horses overland to California, and settled on a ranch at Santa Rosa, where he d. May 10, 1885. Was a pensioner of the U. S.

612 Lavina Stocking and William A. Warren had:

- (1119) Florence, b. ——. m. February 20, 1868, Clark A. Perry.
- (1120) Frank A., b. March 11, 1854. m. August 29, 1880, Ada M. Smith.
- (1121) George E., b. October 7, 1856. m. September, 1877, Emma Shippee.
- (1122) Wilmot, b. June 18, 1859. m. October 7, 1891, Sarah Trovell.

Lavina was b. in Ashfield, Mass., where she resided until seven years old. Her mother having died, she rem. to New York State with brothers and sisters, and from there to Wisconsin, in 1864, locating a homestead of one hundred and sixteen acres at Neplusken, Winnebago Co. She is a woman of fine presence, patriotic spirit, and loyalty to the family name, history, and traditions, and has taken more than usual pains to preserve the records of her ancestors.

615 Abram Stocking and Susie A. Weller had:

- (1123) George Jerome, b. May 11, 1850. d. March 23, 1873.
- (1124) Mary Patty, b. November 5, 1854. m. August 13, 1878, John G. Milburn, of Buffalo, N. Y.
- (1125) Nellie M., b. April 18, 1860. m. Thomas Hayes, 1887.
- (1126) Roswell W., b. August 17, 1866. m. October 20, 1897, Nellie Fichliter. She d. March 14, 1899.

Wife Susie was b. February 26, 1829. m. at Warsaw, N. Y., December 23, 1847, and d. October 13, 1886. Abram d. January 9, 1898, being killed by falling across a buzz-saw.

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617 Abigail Stocking and William Halloway had:

(1127) William. Res. Niles and Adrian, Mich. A druggist.

(1128) Rosa, d. —.

Res. Raisin, Mich. A farmer.

621 Joseph Stocking and Phœbe A. Lewis had:

(1129) Augusta, b. September, 1851. m. August Palmer. Res. San Antonio, Tex.

(1130) Austin L., b. August, 1860. unm.

(1131) Edwin L., b. June, 1862. m. Carrie Gardner. Res. Shelby, Miss.

Joseph d. May 10, 1873.

622 Lewis Stocking and Mary L. Burroughs had:

(1132) Layton C., b. March 27, 1846. d. young.

(1133) Eda A., b. May 30, 1861. m. February 4, 1885, George W. Yeo.

(1134) Milton D., b. March 28, 1863. m. February 28, 1889, Sara E. Holmes.

(1135) Duane C., b. March 27, 1865. m. September 1, 1885, Mary A. Smith.

Lewis was b. in Ashfield, Mass.; rem. to Ogle Co., Illinois, in 1845. Is a farmer. Mary was b. in Erie Co., N. Y., November 13, 1823.

625 William Stocking and Lydia Crill had:

(1136) Horace, b. October 13, 1848. m. Alma Weeks.

(1137) Aurora, b. April 4, 1859. m. George Terry.

(1138) George E., b. January 2, 1864. m. Ellen Stanton.

(1139) Dexter W., d. young.

William Stocking was b. in Ashfield, Mass., where his father was a farmer. The latter removed to Cuyahoga Co., Ohio, in 1832, and seven years later moved over into Illinois, where he took up a fine farm of 120

acres in Monroe Township. Young William was now twelve years of age, and in the primitive schools of that day, together with his simple and hardy farm life, he laid the foundations of that mental and physical energy that brought him signal success and honor. In 1848 he went over to Rock Co., Illinois, and took up 160 acres of good land purchased from the government, as a nucleus of the future property of 1,000 acres which he subsequently owned and developed. About the year 1870, he founded a lucrative business in stock and grain, and in 1872 he established a banking business which eventually became known as the banking house of Wm. Stocking & Co., one of the strongest financial institutions in northern Illinois. His sterling integrity and sound judgment so commended him to the confidence and admiration of his fellow-citizens, that he could not long escape the burdens, or decline the honors, of political position. He served as commissioner of highways for Flagg Township for many years, was long a member of the board of supervisors in White Rock, was alderman of Rochelle for nine years, and mayor of the same city for six terms. In his administration of the latter office, his sagacious spirit and enterprise, and that in the face of opposition, were the chief means of placing Rochelle in the path of progress, and she owes to him her admirable system of public waterworks. A man of strong convictions and heroic moral courage, he held his own against every obstacle, and yet with a quiet and unassuming demeanor, and with a scrupulous regard for the rights and feelings of others, which gave great weight to his opinions and acts.

He was a strong Republican in politics, and a staunch Presbyterian in faith. His industry and economy brought him wealth, and he left a handsome fortune. He d. at Rochelle, September 6, 1902, after a lengthy illness, aged 75. During his funeral services all business throughout the entire city was suspended, and the citizens joined in bewailing the loss and honoring the memory of the foremost man in Ogle County.

632 Amos Dwight Stocking and Mary Jane Jones had:

(1140) Joseph Ogylvie, b. November 9, 1850. m. May 2, 1877, Ellen De Neen.

(1141) Charles Henry, b. December 30, 1853. m. Ada Adella Sheldon.

(1142) Frank Theodore, d. young.

(1143) Ida Theodocia, d. young.

Amos D. was b. in Mt. Morris, N. Y.; rem. in 1828 to Tecumseh, Mich., and res. there until 1851, then rem. to Van Buren Co. In 1856 he rem. to Dowagiac, Mich. Learned the trade of shoemaker, but owing to ill-health

gave that up for the more healthy trade of carpenter. Enlisted in 1862, Co. A, 13th Regt., and during his military service, fatigue and disease left him a confirmed invalid. He organized the Cass Co. Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co., a very successful institution which did most of the rural insurance in Cass and other counties. He d. at the home of his son Joseph O. in Escondido, Cal., August 25, 1896.

Mary Jane was from Wilson, Niagara Co., N. Y. She d. March 23, 1892, of heart failure. Both were life-long members of the Congregational Church.

633 Sarah Lovina Stocking

was b. in Mt. Morris, N. Y.; rem. to Tecumseh, Mich., and became a teacher of high repute, being at one time one of the instructors at Adrian College; wrote and published sundry text-books, and devoted herself to the cause of education so closely that her health failed, and she retired to Los Angeles, Cal., where she now enjoys in rest and peace the fruits of an active life, beloved by a large circle of trusty friends.

634 Ralph Tyrrell Stocking

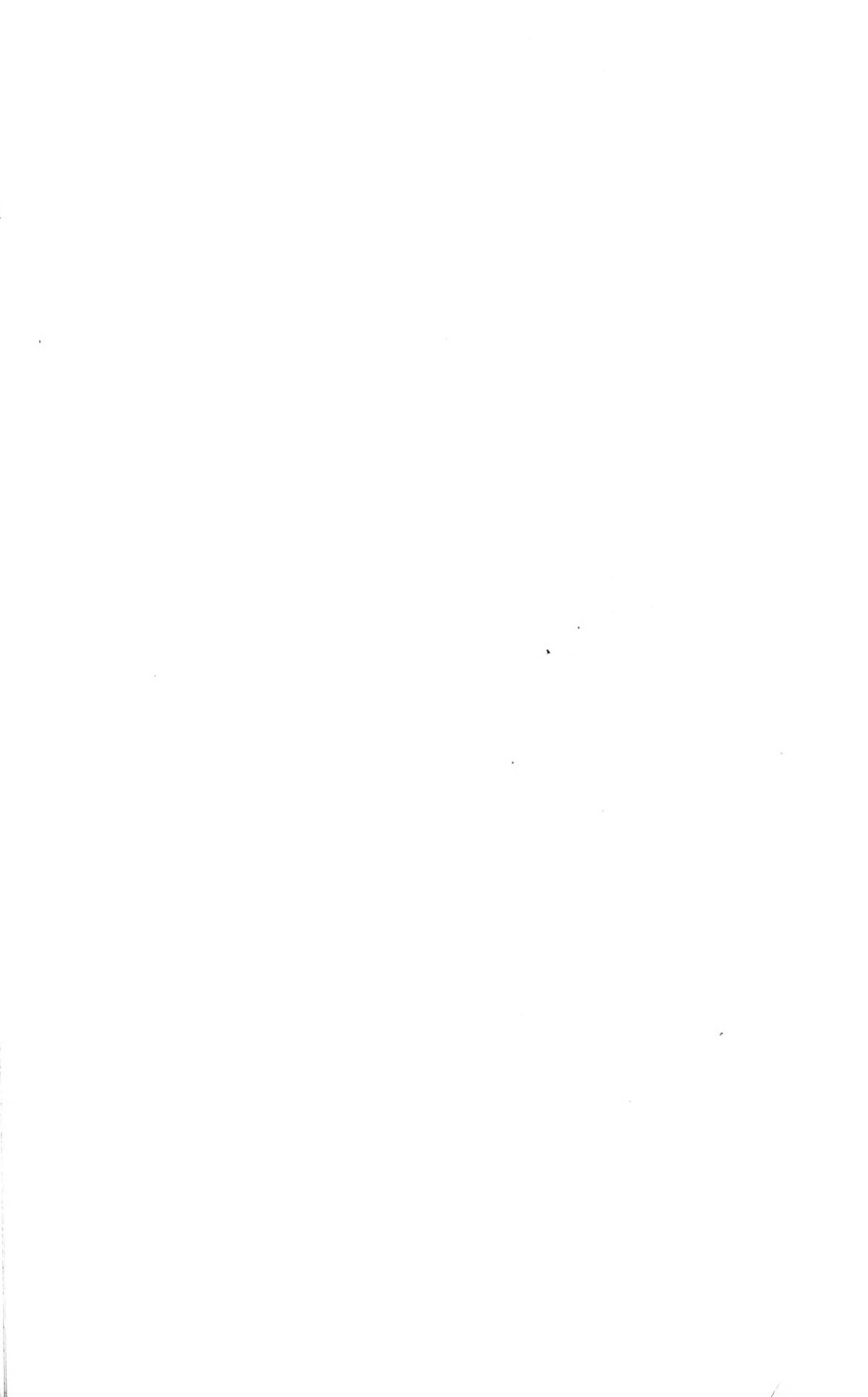
was b. in Mt. Morris, N. Y.; became a printer; was on the *Chicago Times* for some time; enlisted in Battery B 1st Michigan Light Artillery, and eventually d. of asthma in Bloomington, Ill., February 16, 1896. Was twice married, and had three daughters.

636 Hannah Frances Stocking

was b. in Tecumseh, Mich.; educated at the State Normal School; began teaching when sixteen years old, and made it her profession through life. To her loving care her invalid father owed the comforts of a cherished home, and her Christian virtues endeared her to her many friends. She d. at Tecumseh, April 28, 1893.

637^B William P. Stocking and Loraine McArthur

res. at Long Beach, Cal. He was b. in Tecumseh, Mich., and was a teacher for many years. He offered his services to his country in the Civil War,





CHARLES H. STOCKING, M. D.

but was rejected as being not sufficiently robust; was railway postal clerk in Dakota and Minnesota. Loraine was from Dowagiac, Mich., and for several years a teacher in the public schools.

639 Dr. Charles H. Stocking and Martha M. Breed had:

(1144) Albert Henry, b. April 3, 1871. Graduate Cornell University, 1895.

(1145) Charles Francis, b. September 4, 1873.

Dr. Charles was b. in York, Mich. From youth he was characterized by a nervous energy and ambition which was never intimidated by adverse fortune, and at the early age of nineteen he had so overcome the obstacle of penury that he then entered the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, from which he was duly graduated, and he then entered the medical department of that celebrated institution. At the breaking out of the Civil War, in 1861, he was of the first to enlist, being appointed assistant surgeon of the 10th Kentucky Volunteers. In 1864 he was appointed regimental surgeon, and served as such until mustered out. He returned to Ann Arbor, took the degrees of M. A. and M. D., and for some time thereafter served as contract surgeon at Madison, Ind., in the U. S. General Hospital. In 1865 he was appointed surgeon of the 28th Regt. Kentucky Volunteers, which position he resigned in order to take his University degrees. After his marriage to Miss Martha M. Breed, of Jamestown, N. Y., he rem. to Amboy, Ill., practiced there until May, 1867, and then rem. to Freeport, Ill., where he joined to the practice of his profession the drug business, continuing this until his death, by acute pneumonia, January 24, 1881. Dr. Charles was a man of rare sagacity, professional skill, business capacity, and personal popularity, and at his death the local press paid high tribute to his memory.

His widow became the superintendent of the Chicago Orphan Asylum, to the upbuilding of which she contributed materially, and over which she still presides. Son Albert is with the Electrical Installation Co., Chicago. Son Chas. Francis is an expert mining engineer, with the Colorado Fuel & Iron Co., Denver.

643 David Sage Stocking and Julia Ann Cornwall had:

(1146) Julia, b. September 13, 1846. d. November 30, 1850.

(1147) David, b. November 28, 1851. m. Phoebe Cook.

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Julia Ann d. Dec. 7, 1851, and David m. 2d, August 9, 1854, Emma A. Munnerlyn, of Savannah, Ga., they had:

(1148) Ethel, b. August 14, 1864. m. September 21, 1892, Rev. William F. Parsons.

(1149) Mabel, b. December 9, 1868. m. June 16, 1891, Francis E. Wessels.

David Sage Stocking, b. January 16, 1812; d. June 12, 1884; m. 1st, October 30, 1845, Julia Ann, dau. of David Cornwall, of Portland, Conn., who was b. May 9, 1819, and d. December 7, 1851; m. 2d, August 9, 1854, Emma A. Munnerlyn, of Savannah, Ga. He was a commission merchant for many years in Charleston, S. C. He was a man of fine social qualities, and literary and artistic tastes. The following obituaries are taken from the Charleston, S. C., *News and Courier*:

"David S. Stocking. There are still many of our citizens who will recall Mr. Stocking, who, for many years before the late Civil War, was a member of the prominent and influential firm of Mills, Beach & Co. of this city, and they will learn with sorrow of his recent death at Portland, Conn., in the house where he first saw the light, seventy-two years ago. In commerce, Mr. Stocking, like his co-partners, moved on a high plane of character and conduct; in social life his intercourse was marked by the highest courtesy—kind and considerate, he was the center of a large circle of friends, and all who survive him will unite in sincere regret at his death."

"Stocking. The earthly life of Mr. David Sage Stocking came to a peaceful end on Thursday evening, June 12, 1884, at his home in Portland, Conn. He was born in the same house, January 16, 1812. At the age of twenty-five he went to Charleston, S. C., and entered the employ of Messrs. Mills, Beach & Co. Becoming a partner, he continued with them until the war, which ruined the business and disheartened him for future activity. After spending two years in Georgia, near Augusta, he returned to his native place in 1865, with ambitions crushed and health impaired. He spent the remainder of his life in retirement, finding his chief enjoyment in literature, for which he had a great fondness. His strength seemed failing for a year past, and he finally succumbed to a gastric complaint, which disturbed his digestion, but left his mind clear to the last. His end was calm, undisturbed by doubts or fears, and sustained wholly by a humble, penitent faith in the Saviour. He died in the communion of the Episcopal Church, receiving the last sacrament not long before his departure. Mr. Stocking was twice married. His first wife, Miss Cornwall, of Portland, lies buried near her only daughter in St. Michael's churchyard."



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644 Mary Ann Stocking and Brackett M. West had:

- (1150) William Wilfred, b. August 7, 1834. m. March 27, 1855, Sophronia Abbey.
- (1151) Mary Ann, b. July 2, 1839. m. August 20, 1860, Nathaniel O. Cornwall, A. M., M. D.
- (1152) Emma Isabella, b. April 28, 1849. m. December 25, 1868, C. Wm. Anderson.

Mary Ann d. September 6, 1885. Brackett Mortimer was son of Rev. Joel and Elizabeth (Brockway) West, of East Hampton, Conn., who was b. September 4, 1808, and d. October 18, 1866. Res. East Hampton, Conn.

645 Sarah Maria Stocking and John Porter had:

- (1153) Martha, b. October 15, 1859. Res. Portland, Conn.
Res. Middletown, Conn.
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651 Samuel Stannard Stocking and Clarissa Winchester had:

- (1154) Henry W., b. May 12, 1841. m. September 20, 1866, Martha McCullough. Res. Wichita Falls, Tex.
- (1155) Mary, b. June 28, 1847. m. June 20, 1867, Joseph Marquis.
- (1156) Emma, b. December 20, 1849. d. young.

Samuel S. was b. in Tylerville, Conn.; rem. when very young to Aurora, thence to Painesville, O., where he engaged in mercantile business until a short time before his death, April 27, 1865. His son, Henry W., res. at Wichita Falls, Tex., and has been prominent in railroad circles for many years. Was construction agent of the Southern Pacific R. R. for a considerable time, and later on in the hotel business.

652 Rev. Davis Stocking and Charlotte E. Sexton had:

- (1157) Sydney Davis, b. May 13, 1835. m. Hannah Melville.
- (1158) Charles H., b. April 13, 1837. m. August 21, 1860, Elizabeth Frances King.

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(1159) William Alonzo, b. March 2, 1840. m. November 6, 1862,
Lorinda Delaney.

(1160) Wilbur Fisk, b. January 18, 1842. m. Patty Miller, dau. of
Chief Justice Miller of the U. S. Supreme Court.

Rev. Davis was a Methodist minister, and spent 28 years in the work of that denomination, successively at Waterbury, Conn., New York, Newburg, Kingston, Hudson, and Ossining (Sing Sing). These important stations in the New York Conference are evidence of an ability and fidelity which won the regard of his professional brethren. Charlotte Sexton was from Windsor, Conn. Her parents subsequently rem. to Searsville.

654 Arnold S. Stocking and Maria Lovette had:

(1161) Joseph, b. —.

(1162) Samuel, unm. Res. New York City.

(1163) Jessie B., m. May 29, 1882, William A. Barsenden, Sag Harbor,
N. Y.

Arnold was b. in Tylerville, Conn.; rem. to Sag Harbor, N. Y., and d.
June 7, 1900. Maria was b. June 10, 1818, and d. November 3, 1895.

655 Harvey De Wolf Stocking and Helen Riker had:

(1164) Helen Elizabeth, b. 1847. m. 1894, Jabez Smith. He d. in
Germany, 1899. She res. in Brooklyn.

(1165) Harvey Daniel, b. 1849. unm. Res. in Stryker, O.

(1166) Jane Alphene, b. 1851. m. 1874, Henry Earl. She d. 1875.

(1167) Charles Edgar, b. 1853. d. young.

(1168) Ada Augusta, b. 1855. m. 1880, Thomas R. Dannatt. Had son
Samuel H., b. 1883. Res. Philadelphia.

(1169) Alpheus Charles, b. —. m. Amy Stocking.

(1170) Davis Artemus, b. 1859. m. 1880, Mary Bourbridge.

(1171) Mary Emma, b. 1861. unm. Teacher of Design, Pratt Insti-
tute, Brooklyn, N. Y.

(1172) Josephine, b. 1863. d. 1872.

(1173) Gertrude Penelia, b. 1865. d. young.

(1174) Agnes Polhemus, b. 1867. unm. Res. Philadelphia.

(1175) Wilfred Ashbel, b. 1870. unm. Sergeant in Cuban War, 8th
Regulars. Now in U. S. Engineer Corps, Washington, D. C.

Harvey De Wolf res. in New York City until 1852, rem. to Brooklyn, where he d. 1890. Helen Riker is of old Holland stock, b. 1827, and now resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.

657 Julia E. Stocking and Edmund Sanford had:

- (1176) Carrie A., m. — Leggett. Res. Manchester Green, Conn.
Res. New Britain, Conn.
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658 Eli Wilson Stocking and Mary Hart had:

- (1177) Charles Artumus, b. August 30, 1857. Wheat and stock raiser, Hutchinson, Minn.
(1178) Ella Gertrude, b. January 18, 1860. m. September 5, 1882, Ray T. Case.
(1179) Frank Davis, b. May 20, 1862. m. June 27, 1888, Ella Frances Ives.
(1180) Eva Julia, b. July 20, 1864. m. June 15, 1891, Otto Adolph Kohler.
(1181) William Draper, b. June 6, 1866. Wheat and stock raiser, Hutchinson, Minn.
(1182) Fred Otis, b. June 13, 1868. Wheat and stock farmer, Hutchinson, Minn.
(1183) Louis Burt, b. May 30, 1871. Partner in drug business, Starbuck, Minn.

Eli Wilson Stocking was b. in Haddam, Conn. He was graduated from the high school of his native town at an early age, and taught for a time in one of the neighboring districts. Removing to Painesville, O., at the age of 18, he continued his profession for two years longer, and then rem. to New Orleans, where he conducted a successful business in arms and ammunition. Three years later he returned to Ohio and married. The opening up of the Great West stirred his ambition to push out of narrower limits, and grow up with the coming empire. He decided to go to Minnesota, and he purchased, as the only available means of transportation, a team and a wagon, built above the wagon box a roof and sides of thin boards, furnished it with a small stove and a long box that served the double purpose of a bed and provision box, and slowly made their way across rivers, through forests, and over high hills, till in May they reached the Valley of the Hassan, at the foot of Chubb's Hill. Here they pitched their tents as

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pioneers, and here they remained for five years. The seasons proving adverse, they rem. to Acoma, three miles distant, where Mr. Stocking taught school. Later on, he formed a partnership with Mr. Henry Putnam, another pioneer, in the hardware business, and was for several years postmaster. In 1878, when thirty thousand dollars had mysteriously disappeared from the county treasury, he was elected virtually by acclamation to take charge of the public funds, and when his term of office expired, he retired to Lynn, where he had bought a farm, and where he spent the rest of his life. In the consolidation of the four townships into the one of Hutchinson, he was a foremost leader, and always one of the board of supervisors.

At the Indian outbreak in 1862, he assisted in building and defending the stockade at Hutchinson, and he was the last to leave the post of danger. He d. May 11, 1897, at the home of his daughter Mrs. O. A. Kohler, whom he was visiting. This extraordinary man was in every relation of life a shining light. His keen sagacity, unerring judgment, and spotless integrity commended him, publicly and in private life, as "an Israelite in whom there was no guile," and as a born leader of men; while his natural tenderness and Christian life made him an example to all. He died, regretted by a great company of friends, neighbors, and fellow-citizens.

660 Charles Dwight Stocking

d. in New York City in 1869. Was captain of the 8th New York Zouave Regt. Volunteers, and participated in many of the great battles of the Civil War, never having received a wound. While chopping wood at Tylerville, Conn., he was stricken with paralysis of the lower limbs, and after great suffering, expired in a private hospital in New York City. A monument erected to his memory in his native town (Tylerville) perpetuates the loving remembrance of his many friends.

662 Daniel Stocking and ——— had:

- (1184) Retta.
- (1185) Emma.
- (1186) Stella.
- (1187) Ella.
- (1188) Alfred.
- (1189) Frank.

This family rem. to the West.

663 Jerome Stocking and Kate Howe had:

(1190) Thurlow, d. young.

(1191) Stella, b. ——. m. Ethan Allyn.

Jerome was a skilled mechanic. He res. in Rochester, N. Y., and was drowned at Irondequoit in the spring of 1890, while fishing.

664 Solomon Stocking and Maria L. Allen had:

(1192) Nellie.

(1193) Frank.

(1194) Clifford A., b. ——. m. ——.

665 Mary Stocking and Orlando K. Ethridge had:

(1195) Hamlet.

(1196) Xzonias.

Mr. Ethridge was an artist, res. in Rochester, N. Y. Being a very eccentric person, he never wore waistcoat or overcoat, even in the severest weather, but simply a light coat with open shirt front. He named his second child by drawing by lot six letters of the alphabet.

667 Julia Aristelle Stocking and Elijah D. Webster had:

(1197) Emma, b. July 6, 1859. m. September 9, 1891, Wm. H. Nichols, of Auburn, N. Y.

(1198) Julia.

(1199) Charles Elijah, b. September 8, 1861. m. December, 1891, Minerva B. Tenney.

(1200) Edward.

(1201) William, b. July 26, 1865. m. October 19, 1887, Jessie Sanderson. Res. South Evanston, Ill.

(1202) Frank.

670 Joseph Stocking and Emma Cone had:

(1203) John, d. ——.

(1204) May.

(1205) Frank.

(1206) Hammond.

Joseph was a soldier in Civil War. He d. June 5, 1881.

672 Charles Henry Stocking and Mary A. Cox had:

(1207) Mary Eleanor, b. October 25, 1874. A teacher.

(1208) George Edward, b. July 14, 1877. m. February 21, 1900, Olivia Van Veghten. Farmer.

(1209) William Cox, b. June 13, 1881. A farmer.

(1210) Dora Shepard, b. February 2, 1887.

(1211) Eliza Catherine, b. September 20, 1890.

Res. Portland, Conn. Charles H. is a farmer, and a man of public affairs, occupying a very important position in civil and political circles, and is a prominent member and lay officer in the Episcopal Church. Mary d. December 21, 1890.

673 Leverett Stocking and Eunice Avery had:

(1212) George, d. —.

(1213) Robert.

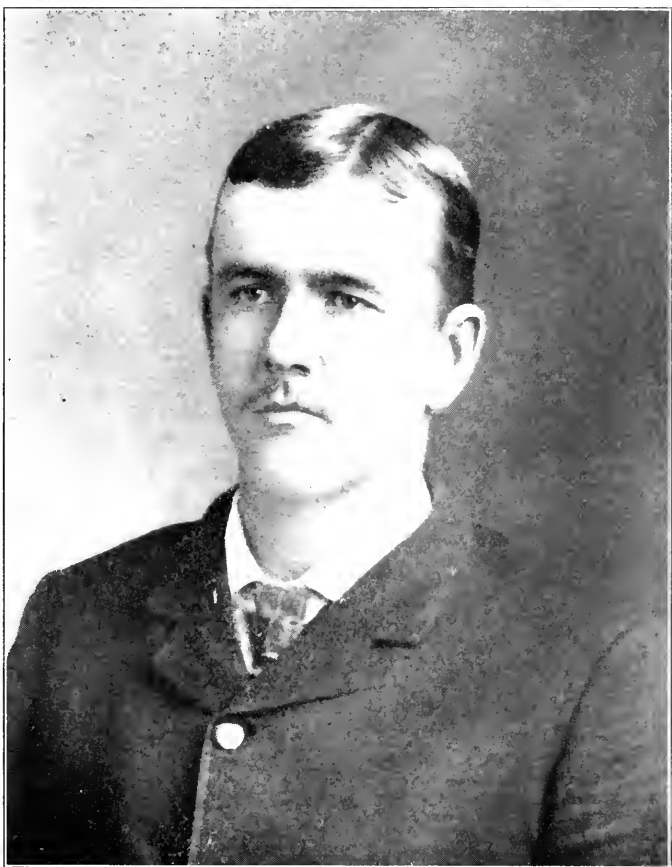
Res. Portland, Conn.

684 George W. Stocking and Harriet Gillespie had:

(1214) George Boyd, b. December 9, 1867.

(1215) Albert M. C., b. July 25, 1869. d. young.

George W. was b. at Wheeling, W. Va., in 1834, and came to Sisterville, W. Va., when but seven years old. He received a limited education in the common schools, and attended the Marietta high school for one season. In 1857 he took a course of instruction at Duff's Mercantile College in Pittsburg. The rest of his schooling was had in active and enterprising business. In 1865-66 he assisted his father in the saw-mill and flouring business, and he utilized the mill machinery in boring for oil in 1865. When 525 feet down, the tools were lost, and boring temporarily ceased. Later on, he and his business associates found the hidden treasure, and it has been for thirty years an unfailling source of wealth.



GEORGE BOYD STOCKING.

George W. married Miss Harriet B. Gillespie, dau. of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Gillespie, who were driven from the Shenandoah Valley on account of their Union sentiments at the opening of the Civil War, and who settled at Sisterville. Mr. Stocking has recently built a handsome and spacious residence, in which he and his family enjoy the fruits of a life of energy and industry. He is recognized and honored as one of the principal factors in the prosperity of his township, a friend of every worthy enterprise, and a public-spirited citizen.

685 Virginia E. C. Stocking and Edward Roome had:

- (1216) Georgiana Elizabeth, b. September 29, 1872. m. April 12, 1902, Willis Harrington.
 - (1217) William Washburn, b. August 26, 1874. d. April 11, 1895.
 - (1218) Mary Alberta, b. July 4, 1876. m. November 22, 1899, Henry Arthur Sutherland. He d. April 26, 1902.
 - (1219) Nellie, b. October 24, 1879.
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690 Mary R. Stocking and Jonathan Tyson had:

- (1220) Annie, b. January 16, 1860.
- (1221) Mary, b. November 10, 1862.

Mary R. was b. near Three Rivers, Mich.; rem. to Glenwood, Ia., and being well educated for those times, had begun teaching when but fifteen years old. From Glenwood the family rem. to Nebraska, where Mary R. taught school in a log cabin. After her marriage, in 1858, to Mr. Tyson, a lawyer, she res. at Glenwood, Ia. In 1862 the home was rem. to parents in Nebraska, and in the following year this family located a farm on Plum Creek, thirty miles south of Denver, Colo. On May 19, 1864, a huge wall of water, thirty feet high, the result of a cloud-burst, as was supposed, swept over that region without warning, leaving not a vestige of property or human life. Mr. Tyson's body was found some weeks afterwards, six miles away, buried in a huge sand-bank, his protruding hand leading to the discovery. The older daughter was found sixteen miles away, and the mother was not found until three years afterwards. The younger child was never found. Mary R. and her husband were devout members of the Baptist Church.

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691 Laura S. Stocking and George Walradt had:

- (1222) Emma May, b. September 7, 1871. m. December 22, 1897.
M. H. Leamy. Res. Allentown, Pa. Two children.
- (1223) Ella Jennie, b. September 7, 1871. m. Herbert D. Baldwin.
Res. Plainview, Neb. Two children.
- Laura d. May 1, 1884. Res. Louisville and Wahoo, Neb.
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692 Charles Lyell Stocking and Martha Jane Burr had:

- (1224) Harvey Burr, b. September 16, 1872.
- (1225) Halsey Moses, b. January 1, 1874. m. February 23, 1898, Ada
Bell Dana. Res. Mars, Neb.
- (1226) Louis Daniel, b. November 12, 1875. m. October 11, 1899,
Lucy Emily Yale.
- (1227) Mara Rosalie, b. October 21, 1877. m. December 21, 1898,
Chas. Chandles Hunt.
- (1228) Carrie Loomis, b. March 21, 1879.
- (1229) Flora Grace, b. May 21, 1881. d. young.
- (1230) Mabel Edith, b. August 26, 1884. d. young.
- (1231) Hattie Joanna, b. November 6, 1886.

Chas. Lyell was b. in St. Joseph Co., Mich. In 1854 he accompanied his father to Glenwood, Ia., rem. May 1, 1856, to Cass Co., Neb., where Charles first saw an Indian. He had on his war paint, and was creeping on his hands and knees intent on mischief. Charles escaped with his shepherd dog, but the cows he had gone to drive home were stolen and butchered by the Pawnees. On August 29, 1864, Charles enlisted in the Cavalry Service, Co. B, 1st Regt. Neb. S. Militia, he being one of forty volunteers. They had no uniform, but good horses, sabres, and rifles, which they themselves furnished, and in this condition they pushed on to Fort Kearney. At the close of the war, this cavalry force was sent to the frontier to protect the settlers against the Sioux Indians and other tribes, in which movement Charles L. had some good frontier service and some lively scares. He res. at Valparaiso, Neb.

693 George Halsey Stocking and Emma A. Cook had:

- (1232) Frank, b. March 20, 1876.

Emma d. July 17, 1892, and George H. m. 2d,
March 22, 1900, Mary A. Peterson, they had:

(1233) Gladys Anna, b. March 22, 1901.

Res. South Dakota.

694 William Squires Stocking and Dora M. Goodman had:

(1234) Erma Anna, b. November 19, 1891.

(1235) Manota, b. November 4, 1893.

Res. Kalispel, Mont. William S. was b. at Three Rivers, Mich. Dora was b. at Ottawa, Kan.

695 Rose Adell Stocking and Edward T. White had:

(1236) Dr. Ernest Edward, b. September 12, 1871. m. October 14, 1896, Minnie Stafford. Res. Lovilia, Ia.

(1237) Leonard Guy, b. May 10, 1873. m. January 17, 1900, Mary J. Farrer.

(1238) Jessie Ethel, b. November 8, 1874. m. January 1, 1901, Franklin W. Farrer.

(1239) Lulu Inez, b. October 31, 1876. d. young.

(1240) Clyde Lyle, b. October 10, 1878. d. September 27, 1901.

(1241) Drayton Ross, b. November 30, 1880.

(1242) Moses Roy, b. March 11, 1883.

(1243) Lura Anna, b. November 4, 1885.

(1244) Ralph Waldo, b. December 24, 1889.

(1245) Reta Adelia, b. September 2, 1891. d. young.

Rose A. was b. in Wahoo, Neb.; rem. to Butler Co., Neb., after her marriage, thence to Saunders Co., in 1876, thence again to Sodaville, Ore., 1881, to Toledo in 1885, settling finally in Damascus, Ore., where she now resides. Mr. White was b. in Hope, Ind., June 2, 1846; enlisted in Co. G 35th Iowa Vol. Inf., 1862; was severely wounded in battle near Middletown, Tenn., January, 1864; taken prisoner and confined in Cahaba, Ala., and Andersonville military prisons; exchanged and honorably discharged, August 19, 1865. He taught school for several years, and finally became a farmer. Is a notary public, member of Mead Post G. A. R., Oregon

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City, and W. M. of Lone Pine Lodge, No. 53, F. and A. M., Logan, Ore. Their son Clyde was a young man of great promise, but after being nearly killed by robbers, finally died of typhoid fever in St. Ignatius Hospital, Colfax, Neb.

696 Flora M. Stocking and William P. Bosworth had:

- (1246) Stella, b. September 29, 1882.
- (1247) Donald Irving, b. September 10, 1886.
- (1248) Nettie Austin, b. June 25, 1896.

Res. Bellvue, Colo.

698 Jessie Elizabeth Stocking and John F. Hecht had:

- (1249) Inez, b. June 20, 1885.
- (1250) Serene Anna, b. October 23, 1886.
- (1251) Freda, b. June 25, 1889. Res. Plainview, Neb.
- (1252) George Kenneth, b. May 22, 1894.

Res. Wahoo, Neb. Jessie d. February 5, 1895, at Damascus, Ore. Jessie Elizabeth was b. in Plattsmouth, Neb.; graduated from Peru (Neb.) State Normal School. Her husband was a banker, and having been ruined in the great panic, they rem. from the northern part of Nebraska to Wahoo. Jessie's health failing, they rem. to Oregon in 1890, where she received only temporary benefit, and d. February 5, 1895, of consumption. She was an accomplished musician, and taught music in State Normal School at Peru, Neb., until her father's death, when she resigned her position in order to care for her widowed mother. Her death at the early age of 35 brought deep sorrow to a host of friends, who loved her for her beautiful character, and admired her for her excellent gifts. She was a member of the M. E. Church.

700 George Washington Stocking and Annie M. Holbrook had:

- (1253) Eugene Edward, b. October 26, 1881.
- (1254) Howard Holbrook, b. June 21, 1883.
- (1255) Elsie Geraldine, b. April 7, 1887.
- (1256) George Washington, Jr., b. December 31, 1893.
- (1257) Anna Maria, b. December 31, 1893.

Res. Wahoo, Neb., Stocking Precinct, also in Vail and Harrison Precincts. Rem. thence to Sacramento, Cal.

702 Lucy Elizabeth Stocking and Harlan Page Slocum had:

- (1258) Clayton Newton, b. March 12, 1884.
- (1259) Edwin, b. January 9, 1886.
- (1260) Harlan, b. April 19, 1889.
- (1261) Rose Fannie, b. February 15, 1893.
- (1262) Minnie Deena, b. October 20, 1895.
- (1263) Olive Ann, b. March 23, 1898.

Res. Brainard and Blair, Neb. Mr. Slocum was b. in New Albion, N. Y., May 14, 1852.

705 Emma E. Stocking and Samuel A. Tackaberry had:

- (1264) Minnie, b. September 12, 1867. m. March 28, 1895, Asa D. McJury.
 - (1265) William M., b. April 2, 1870. m. March 18, 1899, Louisa Dock.
 - (1266) Norman H., b. November 2, 1873.
 - (1267) Pearl L., b. October 30, 1875.
 - (1268) Raymond C., b. April 19, 1888.
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706 Lucy A. Stocking and George F. Saddler had:

- (1269) Elias A., b. May 12, 1867. m. May 18, 1891, Ella Knowles.
- (1270) Ora E., b. October 21, 1869. m. June 13, 1888, Ellsworth A. Smith.
- (1271) Elsie L., b. June 31, 1872. m. June 30, 1894, Samuel Dainoth.
- (1272) Adelia M., b. December 27, 1874. m. June 30, 1894, Luther Rice.
- (1273) Ernest, b. October 20, 1877. m. November 28, 1900, Mary E. Darrow.
- (1274) Lela M., b. September 5, 1882. m. December 25, 1900, Frank H. Bidleman.

Res. Three Rivers, Mich.

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715 Sylvester Stocking and Lana Schemerhorn had:

- (1275) Mary Melissa, b. September 18, 1825. m. January 15, 1852, James D. Bloomburg. No children. Both dead.
- (1276) Sarah Cornelia, b. September 25, 1827. m. January 15, 1855, Fred J. Enderling.
- (1277) Jacob S., b. October 3, 1830. m. Catherine Brandon.
- (1278) George H., b. February 22, 1833. m. November 1, 1856, Mary Barnum.
- (1279) Peter A., b. April 13, 1836. m. Julia Needham Fox.
- (1280) William S., b. February 12, 1839. m. June 26, 1864, Mary Roberts.
- (1281) Zelotus G., b. January 8, 1841. m. September, 1866, Adelia Barnum. He served three years in the Civil War.
- (1282) James J., b. December 17, 1844. m. Emma Vonvalkenburg, May 8, 1866. Had two children. d.

Res. Pratteville, Green Co., N. Y. Sylvester d. of smallpox, 1857.

719 Lois Stocking and William Newcomb had:

- (1283) Mary Jane, b. about 1830. m. Egbert Denton, who served in the Civil War.
- (1284) Willard Arnold, b. April 4, 1834. m. September 27, 1855, Ann Terwilliger. He served in Co. A, 6th Minn. Regt., Civil War.
- (1285) Rachel Ann, m. William Corliss.
- (1286) Harriet, m. James P. Stewart.
- (1287) James Madison, m. 1865, Susie Smith.
- (1288) Rosalia Caroline, m. Joseph Griffith.

William Newcomb was a carpenter and bridge-builder. Res. Binghamton. Rem. to Willmette, Cook Co., Illinois, in 1871.

722 Rachel Ann Stocking and Alanson Newcomb had:

- (1289) Homer A., b. April 2, 1842. m. Malvina Amos. Res. St. Louis.
- (1290) John L., b. November 30, 1844. m. Virginia Clark. Was a railroad man. d. November 17, 1870, Philadelphia. Son George graduate Girard College.

- (1291) Maria S., b. July 6, 1848. m. June 11, 1864, Edward Bancroft Taylor.
- (1292) Lida, b. January 16, 1849. m. 1870, Louis Case Brinton, a soldier in Civil War, and merchant in Phillipstown, Pa. Son Louis is a cadet at West Point.

Rachel Ann d. at Purt Huron, Mich., November 13, 1896. Alanson was a bridge-builder, owned saw, planing, and other mills. Res. Blenheim and Conesville, N. Y., Philadelphia, and Port Huron, Mich.

728 Wells Stocking and Lucetta Calista Phelps had:

- (1293) Irvin Nathaniel, b. March 5, 1839. d. February 23, 1855, at Madison, O.
- (1294) Harriet Ellen, b. October 9, 1843. m. September 9, 1861, Daniel Bower.
- (1295) George Wells, b. October 25, 1846. m. June 27, 1868, Barbara Dixon.

Lucetta Calista d. M. 11, 1855, and Wells m. 2d, Emeline Brainerd, they had:

- (1296) Arthur Newell, b. September 15, 1860. m. February 26, 1885, Rose Knight.

Wells was a carpenter and farmer, and res. for the greater part of his life in Madison and Thompson, O. He is remembered by his many friends as a man of a most kindly disposition, and a consistent member of the Disciple Church. Wife Lucetta was b. in Bradford, Pa., March 12, 1820.

729 William Halsey Stocking and Mercy Talcott had:

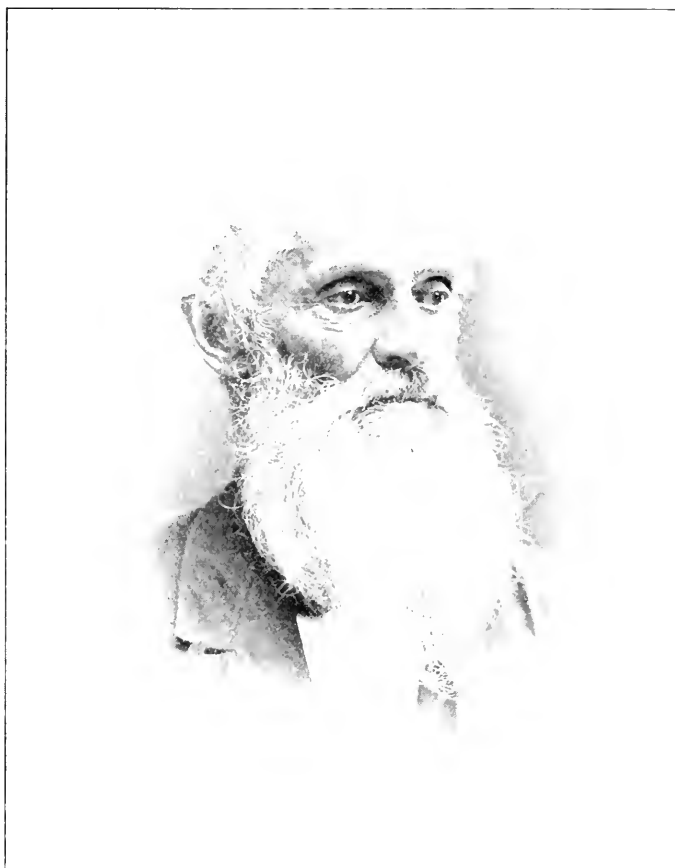
- (1297) Mavret Almeda, b. August 18, 1844. m. February 25, 1874, David H. West.
- (1298) Albion Morrellis, b. February 27, 1846. m. October 26, 1869, Alice M. Leonard.
- (1299) Alnor Milan, b. November 27, 1847. d. March 14, 1865.
- (1300) Azan Mazina, b. June 20, 1849. d. September 20, 1853.
- (1301) Abbott Minter, b. January 12, 1852. d. September 2, 1853.

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- (1302) Albert Masa, b. March 28, 1854. m. October 5, 1885, Elmyra Hansell.
- (1303) Arthy Mayo, b. June 25, 1856. m. February 27, 1878, Rose E. Shepard.
- (1304) Amer Mills, b. September 26, 1858. m. December 25, 1888, Adelia L. Stickle.
- (1305) Chauncey Hopkins Talcott, b. December 7, 1860. m. May 16, 1882, Jessie Arthur.
- (1306) Capt. William Wallace, b. October 11, 1863. m. October 15, 1884, Evelyn P. Gill; m. 2d, April 22, 1890, Fannie Benjamin.
- (1307) Chester Lee, b. July 21, 1866.

William Halsey was b. in East Hartford, Conn., and rem. with his parents to Madison, O., when he was two years of age. Having become deeply interested in religious matters in early life, he resolved to devote himself to the work of the Christian ministry. He was a student at the Farmington Academy and other educational institutions, and like so many of his kinsmen, he taught in the public schools. A severe illness from brain fever compelled him to abandon his intended profession, and he turned his attention to mechanical pursuits, becoming both a painter and a carpenter, and then by a natural development, a building contractor. Many fine and substantial public buildings and private residences in Madison, Chester, and Painesville, O., and in Booneville, Ind., are monuments of his ability and conscientiousness. All educational interests strongly appealed to his sympathy and his purse, and he was for many years clerk of the school board of his district. An ardent Republican in politics, a resolute friend of temperance and morality, a pillar in the Congregational Church, he easily won and firmly retained public confidence and private affection. Wm. Halsey was a strong anti-slavery man, and was a member of the National Convention that nominated John P. Hale for president in 1852. He was commissioned first lieutenant in the First Regt., First Brigade and Twenty-first Division, Ohio State Troops, August 10, 1839. He d. at Painesville, O., October 20, 1897.

His wife, Mercy Amelia, was the dau. of Elisha and Amelia (Johnson) Talcott, b. in Newbury, O., July 13, 1822. She was a woman of intellectual vigor, strong affections, and abundant in labors for the welfare of her family, and of the community in which she lived. She d. in Madison, O., July 10, 1885, in the communion of the Congregational Church, of which she was long a faithful member.



WILLIAM HALSEY STOCKING.

730 Lester Stocking and Margaret Hood, had no children.

Lester was a painter and grainer. Res. in Madison, O., Booneville, Ind., Du Quoin, Ill., Burlington, Ia., and Larned, Kan. He d. September 21, 1890, at the home of his brother Horace, Lakin, Kan. He was assessor and constable in Booneville, and deputy sheriff in DuQuoin. A member of the M. E. Church.

731 Rev. George Stocking and Jane Bosworth had:

(1308) Angeline, b. June 23, 1841. m. 1860, Mortimer H. Ireland.

(1309) Clark, b. January 31, 1845. d. young.

(1310) Francis Asbury, b. September 3, 1848. m. March 3, 1873, Ella Adelaide Vroman.

(1311) George Bosworth, b. June 12, 1853. m. June 23, 1874, Lulu Lathrop; m. 2d Mary E. Pratt.

(1312) Isabella Jane, b. February 2, 1856. m. 1889, Albert S. Graves. She d. April 24, 1901. No children.

George was b. in Hartford Co., Conn. When still an infant, he was taken with the family to Lake Co., Ohio. From his twelfth year he was obliged to support and educate himself, and he paid for his tuition by acting as the juvenile janitor of the Mormon Temple at Kirtland. He eventually entered the ministry of the M. E. Church, was a member of the Erie Conference, and traveled on a long circuit through Western Pennsylvania and Ohio. A throat disease compelled him to resign the active duties of his profession, and he rem. to Chagrin Falls, O. In 1858 he rem. to Lyota Township, and from there, in 1864, to Rochester, Minn., where he became a merchant, and spent the remaining years of an active and prosperous life, retiring from business in 1889, and dying in peace, November 21, 1893.

Jane Bosworth, dau. of Mather and Bathsheba Bosworth, was b. in Lowville, N. Y., July 28, 1817. A devoted wife and a loving mother. She passed on to her rest, July 20, 1880.

733 Henry Ancel Stocking and Sarah Ann Wakeland had:

(1313) Alvin Clark, b. June 2, 1852. m. October 10, 1881, Mary Hollis.

(1314) Mary Isabelle, b. January 8, 1854. m. September 15, 1872, John W. Rasure.

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- (1315) Wm. Harrison, b. May 15, 1857. m. 1886, Cordelia Miller.
 (1316) Jasper Lewis, b. September 29, 1862. m. January 23, 1890,
 Alvena Gusta Weihe.
 (1317) Ella, b. April 3, 1865. m. 1886, Chas. U. Rucker.
 (1318) Minnie, b. June 1, 1867. m. 1888, James Bohannon.

Henry Ansel was b. in Madison, O., November 4, 1823. Was a farmer and merchant, and res. in Madison, O., and in Booneville, Ind., where he d. January 22, 1888. Sarah was b. in Warrick Co., Ind., May 22, 1831, and d. there February 7, 1897. She was the dau. of John and Sallie (Gray) Wakeland, and a devoted member of the M. E. Church, as was also her husband.

734 Jabin Strong Stocking and Susan Randall had:

- (1319) Louisa A., b. May 1, 1850. d. January 22, 1856.
 (1320) Jabin Bion, b. September 2, 1857. m. June 3, 1880, Carrie L.
 Bower.

Jabin Strong was b. in Madison, O. Was a carpenter and farmer, a violinist of excellent local reputation, and an enthusiastic fox-hunter. Res. Madison and Thompson, O., where he d. January 7, 1872.

736 Horace Stocking and Lorinda Hudson had:

- (1321) Daughter, b. January 5, 1857. d. young.

Horace m. 2d Melvina Lovelace, May 6, 1866, they
 had:

- (1322) Alice Bell, b. July 5, 1867. m. January 7, 1886, Albert H.
 Bailey. Res. Lakin, Kan.
 (1323) Cora Annice, b. May 27, 1870. m. October 16, 1887, Fred J.
 Bartells. Res. Hutchinson, Kan.
 (1324) Horace Grant, b. September 27, 1872. m. June 21, 1893, Sarah
 Edna Long.

Horace res. in Booneville, Ind., for 35 years; was a carpenter, grocer, and lumber dealer. In 1876 he rem. to Topeka, Kan., where he built the old Ohio House, corner of Sixth and Jefferson sts. Thence he went to Winfield, Kan., and Sullivan, Ind., settling finally in Lakin, Kan., in 1888.

737 Chester Lucius Stocking

was b. in Madison, O. Enlisted in a cavalry regiment for the Civil War, and was killed at the time of Hood's raid around Nashville, in 1864. He left a wife and two children, who did not long survive him.

738 Henry James Stocking and Caroline McClintock had:

(1325) Fannie, b. ——. m. A. B. Brasted.

(1326) Henry James, Jr., b. July 9, 1852. m. November 26, 1879,
Jennie R. Ward.

Henry James was b. in —, and d. in 1854. He was a locomotive engineer.

739 Harriett Stocking and Jabez W. Fairbanks had:

(1326A) Achsah, b. September 13, 1833. m. March 23, 1852, Alfred B. Couch. She d. September 8, 1864, at Worcester, Mass.

(1326B) Jabez Wilder, b. February 28, 1836.

(1327) Harriett, b. November 14, 1839. d. October 31, 1861.

(1328) James Root, b. October 11, 1842.

(1329) Edgar Preston, b. January 9, 1845. Drummer boy in Civil War, Co. K, 34th Regt. Mass. Vol. d. November 6, 1862, at Fort Lyon, Va.

Harriett Stocking was b. May 12, 1812, at New London, Conn. Jabez W. was b. August 9, 1803; d. in Pittsfield, Mass., March 16, 1872. Was sexton of Congregational Church for 36 years, constable of the town for 38 years.

744 Homer Stocking and Maria L. Merryfield had:

(1330) Charles M., b. March 15, 1848. m. Myra L. Hinkley.

Homer was b. in Suffield, Conn.; rem. to Dalton, Mass., thence to Michigan in 1852, and d. at Fenton in 1863. He was a painter. Maria L. was b. in Washington, Mass., January 1, 1828.

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745 Reuben Stocking and Nancy Toms had:

- (1331) Walter, b. June 2, 1838. m. May 15, 1863, Amelia A. Kirby
A wagon-maker. Res. in Woodland, Cal.
(1332) Elizabeth, d. ——.
(1333) Authur, d. ——.
(1334) Frances, d. ——.
(1335) William, d. ——. Railroad man.
(1336) Frank B., b. ——. m. September 30, 1877, Louisa Hosier.

Reuben was b. in Southwick, Mass., and d. at Pine Plains, N. Y.

746 Mary Ann Stocking and Gilbert Stewart had:

- (1337) Helen M., b. August 3, 1835. m. January 7, 1858, Wm. H. Vrooman.
(1338) Mary Elizabeth, b. July 28, 1838. m. November 4, 1864, George Stever; m. 2d, 1878, Daniel Bogart, Bluff Point, N. Y.

Mary Ann was b. in Southwick, Mass., and rem. to Penn Yan, N. Y., in 1838. She d. there June 13, 1895. Gilbert d. there, December 29, 1878. He was a farmer.

749 Margarette Stocking and Isaac West had:

- (1339) De Witt, b. March 2, 1844. m. September 19, 1866, Anna Verbeck. Res. Tampico, Ill.
(1340) Alice, b. October 17, 1849.
(1341) Charles, b. May 20, 1853. d. young.
(1342) Margarette, b. May 20, 1853. m. April, 1872, William Bryant.

Margarette d. May 30, 1853, and Isaac m. 2d her sister Charlotte, and had:

- (1343) Charles, b. October 29, 1855. m. 1884, Leona Dow.
(1344) Louisa, b. August 22, 1859. m. Ray McKenzie.
(1345) Zora, b. August 5, 1869. m. August 6, 1887, William Luytens.

Res. at Penn Yan, N. Y., but Isaac West d. at Yorktown, January 8, 1875.

750 Richard Stocking and — — — had:

(1345A) Nettie.

(1345B) Frank.

(1345C) Hattie.

Richard was a blacksmith, b. in Southwick, Mass., and d. in Davenport, Ia.

752 Ransler Stocking and Mary Keefer had:

(1345D) Lewis K., b. May 10, 1854. d. August 1, 1867.

(1345E) George W., b. ——. d. March 31, 1856.

(1345F) Lafayette T., b. December 25, 1857. m. February 11, 1879.
Kate M. Guffin.

Ransler rem., May, 1858, from Pine Plains, N. Y., to Prophetstown, Ill. Went for a short time to Pike's Peak, and in 1860 organized Co. B, 34th Regt. Illinois Vol. for the Civil War. Was subsequently private in Co. K same regiment; promoted to sergeant, under McCook's command, Gen. Buell's Second Division; fought in battle of Shiloh; honorably discharged on account of physical disability, July 3, 1862; returned to Prophetstown, and rem. thence to Morrison, Ia., in 1865; was owner of a foundry and machine-shop there until June, 1873, when he became vice-president of the Morrison Agricultural Works, retiring from active business in 1883. He was trustee of the city of Morrison in 1867, and in 1868 was made president of the board. Ransler is known through that section as a man of strict integrity, singular business and executive ability, successful in accumulating liberal means, and respected and honored by his fellow-citizens.

754 Almira Stocking and Sanford Prouty had:

(1346) Harriet, b. March 6, 1829.

(1347) Francis, b. June 19, 1831.

(1348) Lovisa, b. June 24, 1833. m. John Baird, of Toledo.

(1349) Samuel, b. ——.

(1350) Cyrus, b. March 18, 1837. d. 1844.

Sanford Prouty was a carpenter, from Hannibal, N. Y. He went to California when gold was discovered there, remained three years, and

returned with a small fortune, which he invested in land at Toledo, and by which he became wealthy. Almira, a most estimable woman, d. there May 15, 1870.

756 Sophia C. Stocking and Cyrus Shumway had:

- (1351) Celia, b. April 14, 1838. m. March 21, 1855, Edward R. Black.
- (1352) Chas. S., b. September 27, 1839. d. young.
- (1353) Sidney S., b. April 11, 1841. d. young.
- (1354) Cyrus, b. December 14, 1842. m. September 20, 1871, Joan Hade.
- (1355) Mary D., b. December 27, 1844. m. September 14, 1876, Le Roy Parsons.
- (1356) Laura A., b. April 14, 1846. d. September 23, 1858.
- (1357) Clarence E., b. December 5, 1850. d. October 7, 1864.

Sophia C. d. at Philadelphia, March 28, 1895. Mr. Shumway d. there October 11, 1886. He was a merchant; b. in Belchertown, Mass. Sophia was a woman of remarkable beauty, and as conspicuous a figure in society as she was a devoted wife and mother in her family.

757 Zalmon Stewart Stocking and Eliza Dudley had:

- (1358) Leila, b. September 17, 1854. m. June 3, 1875, Henry D. Blossom. She d. April 3, 1892.
- (1359) Lida, b. September 17, 1854. m. November 16, 1886, Arthur L. Stone.
- (1360) Dudley, b. March 25, 1858. d. young.
- (1361) De Witt, b. March 25, 1858. d. 1859.
- (1362) Daisette D., b. May 31, 1864. m. Wm. McKenzie. Res. Cambridge, Mass.

Zalmon Stewart was a man of remarkable business ability and engaging social qualities. On the death of his father, he became the mainstay of the family. He carried on the drug business at Mansfield, O., for several years, and in 1867 rem. to Cleveland, O., where he managed his own estates and those of his wife, who was a wealthy widow at the time of their marriage. He d. May 2, 1899. His widow, a charming, Christian woman, still resides at Cleveland. This family were Episcopalians, and they will long be remembered for their refined hospitality, their genial and cultivated bearing, and their support of all benevolent and Christian work.

758 Laura A. Stocking and George N. Gove had no children.

Mr. Gove was a carriage-maker, b. in Vermont, and d. at Whiteford Center, Mich., in 1873. Laura A. was a woman of fine intellect, sterling principles, and devout Christian character. Being without family, she was able to devote her time and affections to the needy and the afflicted, and she d. at Wyoming, O., April 2, 1900, beloved and regretted for her unostentatious goodness.

762 Sidney Fernando Stocking

never married. He was the wit of the family, and the life of every social circle. He began practical life as a druggist in Mansfield, O. Compelled by ill-health to seek a milder climate, he entered the service of Henry Meggs, the "Railroad King," who was constructing a line of railroad from Santiago, Chili, to San Fernando. Sidney was an excellent Spanish scholar, and became Meggs's interpreter. Returning to the U. S. at the time of the Civil War, he was independent settler in Sherman's Corps on their march to the sea. He d. at Denver, Colo., May 19, 1896, aged 63 years.

763 Louisa M. Stocking and Dr. C. R. Taft had no children.

Louisa M. was b. at Akron, O. In early life she developed a rare talent for vocal music, in which she ultimately gained an enviable reputation, through which she would have become a great professional singer had not throat troubles prevented. She studied two years in Boston, under Prof. W. C. Perkins, and two years in Philadelphia, under Signor Barili, half-brother of Mlle. Adelina Patti. She also taught vocal music for some years, and she had a wide reputation as a splendid vocalist. Her husband, Dr. C. R. Taft, was a surgeon-dentist, practicing in Mansfield, O., and at the breaking out of the Civil War, he enlisted, being commissioned first lieutenant 15th Regt., Ohio I Vol.; promoted captain, July 21, 1863, serving with honor over three years. He then returned to his professional practice, in Cincinnati, in company with his brother, Dr. J. Taft, who has for many years been dean of the dental department of Michigan University at Ann Arbor. Dr. Taft was a man of splendid

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physical appearance, tall, muscular, and a born soldier in manner, as genial as a summer day, and a social favorite. He d. at Wyoming, O., where his widow still resides, the only surviving member of her father's family.

766 Delia Ann Stocking and John M. Hughes had:

- (1362A) Ellen D., b. June 15, 1846.
- (1363) Robert S., b. February 14, 1849.
- (1364) Ann E., b. May 30, 1856.
- (1365) William M., b. August 7, 1858. m. May 28, 1878, Carrie V. Dunahue.

John M. d. at Mobile, Ala., September 20, 1865, and Delia Ann m. 2d Harvey Risk, who d. at Staunton, Va., June 19, 1894.

768 Diantha Jane Stocking and Harmon Curran had:

- (1366) De Lafayette, res. Binghamton, N. Y.
 - (1367) Lillian, m. — Becker. Res. Sacramento, Cal.
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770 Denison Stocking and Eugenia Tircuit had:

- (1368) De Lafayette, b. December 13, 1868. d. December 15, 1868.
- (1369) Eugenie Eloise, b. June 15, 1872. m. April 16, 1896, Mr. A. Comeaux.
- (1370) Eliska Delphine, b. August 1, 1874. m. June 21, 1899, Dr. Wm. C. Bates.
- (1371) Mahetable C., b. July 8, 1877. m. February 7, 1898, Chas. F. Howell, M. D. Res. West Baton Rouge, La.
- (1372) Denison, b. December 3, 1880. d. young.

Dr. Denison Stocking was b. in Binghamton, N. Y. Choosing the profession of a dentist, he rem. to Louisiana when a young man, and built up a successful practice there. At the breaking out of the Civil War, he enlisted in a company of the Louisiana Light Artillery; was captured at the battle of Island No. 10, and held for many months a prisoner in Camp Chase, being eventually exchanged. At the close of the war, he returned to the practice of his profession in Baton Rouge, and in the Parishes of Point Coupée and West Feliciana, where he soon secured a large and

remunerative practice. He m. in 1868, Miss Eugenia Tircuit, dau. of Mr. Eugene Tircuit, a planter of Point Coupée Parish. He was a prominent Mason, a Knight Templar, and M. E. Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Louisiana in 1886. Dr. Denison was a man of bright and vigorous intellect, enforced with liberal culture and ready wit, and his personal magnetism attracted devoted friends. It was as natural for him to exercise kindness and charity as it is for the sun to shine, and his death was a calamity to the community. He d. in New Orleans, December 15, 1887. His widow res. at St. Francisville, La.

771 D. Eloise Stocking and Cyrus Brownell had:

(1373) Nellie Cafferly.

(1374) May, m. — Hubbard.

(1375) Kittie.

(1376) Jessie.

Res. Philadelphia. Mr. Brownell d. some years ago.

773 Mary Catherine Stocking and Dr. Dexter Tucker had:

(1377) Caroline A., b. June 9, 1846. d. young.

(1378) Edward Dexter, b. September 6, 1848. m. December 10, 1868, Josephine Peterson.

Res. Chicago, where Dr. Tucker was a prominent and successful physician, and where he d. December 10, 1890. Widow Mary Catherine res. in Auburndale, Mass.

774 Roderick S. Stocking and Mary A. Willis had:

(1379) Emma K., b. June 30, 1857. m. September 9, 1874, Marsena E. Hill.

Roderick was a farmer in Stockbridge, Mass., where he d.

782 Charles P. Stocking and Charity A. Downs had:

(1380) Delia M., b. January 28, 1845. d. —.

(1381) Clinton J., D., b. September 31, 1853. d. —.

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Charity d. October, 1884, and Chas. P. m. 2d, May
11, 1886, Mrs. Lottie D. Phelps, they had:

(1382) Delia Verne, b. October 21, 1891.

Res. Denison, Ia., where Chas. P. d.

783 Mary J. Stocking and J. C. Downs had:

(1383) Albert Selah, b. October 5, 1843. m. April, 1867, Mary E. Keeler; m. 2d, October 12, 1875, Susan B. Shields.

(1384) Edgar Sabura, b. December 15, 1857. m. February 16, 1880, Sadie Walker.

Res. Albia, Ia.

784 Eliza Ann Stocking and Rufus Langdon Herrick had:

(1385) Sophronius Sabin, b. August 9, 1840. m. February 7, 1866, Harriet Emeline Seaman. She m. 2d Chas. W. Brackett.

(1386) Albert Neeley, b. March 5, 1842. d. January 20, 1853.

(1387) Elizabeth Josephine, b. March 9, 1848. m. February 1, 1866, Edwin W. Wilson.

(1388) Chas. Eugene, b. January 30, 1850. m. November 30, 1868, Elizabeth Northrop.

(1389) William Albert, b. July 28, 1857. m. October 7, 1885, Alice H. Robinson.

Rufus L. d. February 2, 1870, and Eliza Ann m. 2d Rev. Alpha Warren, 1875. She was b. at Rush, Pa. Present res. Rockford, Ill.

785 Charlotte P. Stocking and Solon C. Jackson had:

(1390) Solon Cransted, b. April 5, 1845. m. June 22, 1870, Florence A. Clark.

(1391) Florence A. C., b. January 1, 1848.

Solon C. d. 1845, and Charlotte P. m. 2d Hiram B. Cole, April 13, 1850. She d. March 15, 1851. Res. Rockford, Ill., and Syracuse, N. Y.

786 Joseph Castle Stocking and Cynthia Elizabeth Carey had:

- (1392) Frank Marion, b. July 8, 1859. m. December 25, 1882, Hattie Ruth Jones.
 - (1393) Anna Linda, b. February 9, 1861. m. March 27, 1887, Willis B. McKennon.
 - (1394) Flora May, b. June 12, 1863. m. April, 1880, John Hubbard Hollister.
 - (1395) Nellie Minerva, b. May 3, 1868. unm.
 - (1396) George L., b. June 25, 1871.
 - (1397) Chas. Corey, b. April 8, 1874.
 - (1398) Minnie. unm.
 - (1399) Ernest Castle, b. February 11, 1877. unm.
- Res Morro, San Luis Obispo Co., Cal.

787 George L. Stocking and Mary M. Russell had:

- (1400) Sarah E., b. February 9, 1855. d. same day.
 - (1401) Florence Addia, b. April 14, 1857. d. February 17, 1860.
 - (1402) Ella J., b. January 30, 1859. m. — Porter, and d. August 2, 1884. Had dau. Ella M.
- Res. Hyde Park, Mass.

790 Sabura Stebbins Stocking and Charlotte E. Higgins had:

- (1403) Eva Adalene, b. October 19, 1857. m. August 22, 1893, A. G. Perry. Res. Chicago, Ill.
- (1404) Schuyler Eugene, b. March 26, 1862. m. September 1, 1883, Mary Himes.
- (1405) Mary Eugenie, b. March 26, 1862. m. December 7, 1882, Charles M. Wilhelm.
- (1406) Dollie, b. March 11, 1869. d. young.
- (1407) Fred. Carl, b. September 21, 1871. m. October 21, 1894, Mabel Miller.
- (1408) Maude Berenice, b. December 11, 1876. d. May 1, 1894. unm. Res. Chicago, Ill.

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Sabura Stebbins was b. in Barton, Tioga Co., N. Y.; rem. in 1839 to Bonus Prairie, a village near Belvidere, Ill., a trading-post for the numerous Indians then resident in the vicinity. When nineteen years old, he located a tract of eighty acres of government land in Breenan Co., Iowa; traded this off for land near Waverly, Ia., and exchanged this property for a farm near Beloit, Wis., where he remained until the Civil War, at which date he rem. to Beloit, Wis., and engaged in mercantile business. Later on he rem. to Niles, Mich., thence to Rockford, Ill., and is now residing in Chicago. Few men have ever been endowed, either by nature or by grace, with a more lovable character than the subject of this sketch, and in his inherited disposition the spirit of Elijah has descended upon Elisha. Moreover, this family is eminently a musical one, their gifts in this line being altogether unusual, and in harmony with their moral and social characteristics. Almost from their infancy they may be said to have been disciples of the divine art, and their vocal and instrumental contributions to the music of the church and of the social circle have been constant and edifying.

791 Martha Philena Stocking and Hiram B. Patrick had:

- (1409) Martha, b. March 3, 1854. m. March 27, 1873, Dr. William A. Pratt. She d. September 20, 1873.
- (1410) George Eugene, b. August 22, 1855. Res. Chicago.
- (1411) Kirk Albert, b. March 9, 1858. m. October 10, 1882, Harriet Eleanor Moffett. Res. Wheaton, Ill.
- (1412) Warren Lander, b. February 2, 1860. Res. Milan, Tenn.
- (1413) Feany Sigel, b. September 16, 1861. m. February 18, 1885, Grace Louise Haigh. Res. Dunlap, Ia.
- (1414) Frances Eleanor, b. April 14, 1863. d. March 10, 1883.
- (1415) Benson, b. April 10, 1868. d. young.
- (1416) Ruth, b. August 28, 1869. Res. Wheaton, Ill.
- (1417) Harland, b. July 19, 1871.

Res. in Bloomington, Ill., where all the children were born. Martha Philena was b. in Barton, N. Y., November 8, 1838.

792 Adelia Ann Stocking and Orlando F. Yale had:

- (1418) Adelbert.

Adelia Ann was divorced, and m. 2d Geo. F. Hammond, who d. 1891. She d. 1892.

793 Charlotte S. J. Stocking and Levi Moulthrop had:

(1419) John Rowe, b. February 20, 1845.

(1420) Harwood, b. February 6, 1849. d. 1888.

(1421) Philura, b. November 16, 1842. d. 1871.

Levi d. 1878. Widow Charlotte res. in Ansonia, Conn.

794 Summerfield S. Stocking and Betsey A. Tyler had:

(1422) Bennett Walter, b. March 29, 1847. m. Julia George. Res. Portland, Ore.

(1423) Emma Ann b. December 28, 1849. unm. Res. Bristol, Conn.

Summerfield S. was divorced and m. 2d, December 27, 1852, Christina Eldridge, they had:

(1424) Edward Servillius, b. April 19, 1854. m. May 17, 1875, Nellie M. Downs.

(1425) Nellie J., b. February 3, 1859. d. 1862.

(1426) Chas. Selah, b. March 19, 1866. m. October 26, 1887, Ella Bunnell; m. 2d Alice M. Purdy.

(1427) Nettie Serilla, b. August 29, 1872. unm. Res. Bristol, Conn.

Summerfield S. was b. in Oswego, N. Y., and has resided in Ansonia, Clinton, and Bristol, Conn. Christina was b. July 15, 1832, and d. December 19, 1887, at Bristol, Conn.

795 Lamertine Stocking (Stogden) and Ellen Howarth had:

(1428) Mary, b. ——. m. ——. Rowe.

(1429) Eva Gardner, b. ——. m. ——. Martine.

Lamertine d. August 27, 1881.

798 Rev. Oliver Eastborn Stocking (Stogden) and Jennie Leithead had:

(1430) Gehrett Oliver, b. June 12, 1892, at New Hope, Pa.

Rev. Oliver was b. in New Castle, Del.; rem. to Chester, Pa., and was apprenticed to a tinsmith and iron-worker at an early age. He entered

Chester Academy, paying the expenses of his education by manual labor; entered Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., in 1882. Though raised a Presbyterian by a very strict and conscientious mother, he became a convert to the Methodist faith, and was a licensed preacher during his college course. Ordained deacon by Bishop Henry W. Warren, March 16, 1884, and elder by Bishop Foster, March 20, 1887. He has had pastoral care of churches in Philadelphia, Mahanoy Plane, Ambler, and Jarrettown, Glendon, New Hope, Portland, Somerton, Port Carbon, Shenandoah, and Williamstown, all of Pennsylvania. Wife Jennie is descended from the old Dalgleisch Scotts, cousins of Sir Walter, and of Sir James Hogg. Her mother was often taken by these eminent gentlemen on their fishing excursions, she being a great favorite with them.

803 Sarah Jane Stocking and Nathan Marvin Belden had:

- (1431) Rev. Charles Marvin, b. September 3, 1857. m. Sarah White.
 (1432) John, b. June 4, 1863. m. Frances Fitch.

Sarah Jane was educated in the public schools of Norwich, Conn., and at St. Mark's Hall, Orange, N. J. She was for a time a teacher in Oxford, N. Y. Nathan Marvin Belden was b. in Wilton, Conn., August 17, 1826, and d. there of apoplexy, July 28, 1895. He was the son of John Arms and Betsey Caroline (Marvin) Belden, and grandson of Rev. David Belden, of Wilton. He was educated at the Wilton Academy, graduated with honors (salutatorian) from Trinity College in 1848; instructor in Latin in that college in 1850-52; vice-principal of St. Mark's Hall, Orange, N. J., 1855; first principal of the Punchard Academy, Andover, Mass., 1856-57. He then associated himself with his brother Samuel in the work of a large boarding-school for boys at White Plains, N. Y., in which he was very successful. In 1861 ill health obliged him to retire to his native town, and a brief farm life so recuperated him that he resumed his profession, teaching at the Weston (Conn.) Military Institute, at Southport, and as principal of the Ansonia (Conn.) High School. The later period of his life, however, was devoted chiefly to public affairs. He represented his native town in the legislature for eight years; was for many years county commissioner, state prison inspector, civil engineer, and surveyor, and selectman. His versatility of talent was altogether remarkable. As a linguist, his mastery of ancient and modern languages was almost as intuitive as it was accurate, and it gained for him an enviable reputation far beyond

the bounds of his native state. Though not trained in the law his knowledge of it was so extensive and technically accurate that he was sought far and wide as a referee and administrator in difficult and complicated cases, and he probably settled more estates than any other man in Connecticut. He was by inheritance and conviction a sturdy churchman of the conservative type, a lay reader in his parish (St. Matthew's, Wilton), its warden and treasurer for twenty-five years, and one of its strong pillars even from his youth. Never was there so accomplished a man as modest as he, perhaps, for he lived and died in a rural community, stopping his ears against the suggestions of political ambition, and preferring his native hills to social thrones. A conscientious Christian, a sterling patriot, a generous soul, and ideal neighbor, he was followed to his resting-place in St. Matthew's churchyard, Wilton, by a great concourse of grief-stricken friends.

805 Sabura Stebbins Stocking and Mary Louise Carter had:

(1433) Lottie Baker, b. October 10, 1859. d. April 10, 1876.

(1434) Freddie Carter, b. July 5, 1865. d. March 15, 1866.

Sabura S. was b. in Norwich, Conn., educated in the public schools, learned the cabinet-maker's trade, and eventually carried on that business as one of the firm of Pratt & Stocking, Leominster, Mass. He also engaged in the same business in Boston, and removing to New York City, he had charge for many years of the sales-rooms of some of the largest furniture dealers and manufacturers in that city. He served in the Civil War, from May 20, 1861, to June 28, 1863, as quartermaster's sergeant, 15th Regt., Mass. Vol., and is now a pensioner, member of Sedgwick Post No. 1. G. A. R., stationed at Norwich, Conn., and has been for five years past superintendent of the Buckingham Memorial Post Headquarters at Norwich. Mary Louise is the dau. of the late Samuel and Louise Carter, of Norwich, Conn.

807 Rev. Dr. C. H. W. Stocking and Isabelle W. Holcomb had:

(1435) Julia Holcomb, b. December 26, 1866. m. February 7, 1893, R. Wainwright Bacot.

(1436) Willie Holcomb, b. November 29, 1868. d. October 13, 1869.

(1437) Helen Augusta, b. July 7, 1872. m. April 10, 1902, William Pierce Marr.

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(1438) Florence, b. November 29, 1874. d. September 25, 1875.

(1439) Grace, b. January 12, 1878.

Rev. Dr. Chas. H. W. was b. in Norwich, Conn. When but three years old, he was one day missed from home, and after anxious search was found in the public school. This early disposition for learning induced his parents to permit him to attend school from that time forth. He was a sickly boy in his younger years, and not until he was twenty did he become well and strong. He was educated at the Norwich Academy, graduated from Trinity College in 1860 with rank of *Optimus*, was class-poet, prize man in chemistry and history, and valedictorian; received degree of A. M. in 1863; was commencement poet for the House of Convocation in 1875; Doctor of Divinity of William and Mary College in 1874; ordained priest in the Protestant Episcopal Church by Bishop Horatio Potter, June, 1863; in charge of All Saints' Church, Brier Cliff, N. Y., 1863-64; Church of the Nativity, Bridgeport, Conn., 1864-65; rector of Christ Church, Ansonia, Conn., 1865-69; of Trinity Church, Rochester, N. Y., 1869-72; of Church of the Epiphany, Chicago, 1872-75; of Grace Church, Detroit, Mich., 1875-83; of Trinity, Albany, 1884-87; of Church of the Holy Innocents, West Orange, N. J., and principal of Orange Academy, 1887-95; principal of Freehold Ladies' Seminary, 1896-98; of St. Peter's Church, Mt. Arlington, N. J., for the summer seasons of 1897-1901; rector of St. John's Church, San Bernardino, Cal., 1901-2; is now rector of St. James's Church, Vincennes, Ind.

Dr. Stocking was a member of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Illinois; secretary of its Board of Missions, and examining chaplain to the Bishop; chairman of the Committee on Constitution and Canons of the Diocese of Michigan, and examining chaplain to the Bishop. He has organized several missions which are now vigorous parishes; was for eight years chaplain of the First Brigade Michigan State Troops, and is a life member of the Scott National Guard.

Dr. Stocking has served as private tutor for several families of distinction, making frequent foreign tours for observation and instruction. Among his first pupils was Mr. Thomas D. Fish, head of the well-known shipping-house of Thos. Dunham's Nephew & Co., New York, and the Hon. George L. Rives, Assistant Secretary of State during the Cleveland administration, and now corporation counsel of the city of New York. The Doctor has been assistant editor of a New York Magazine, and a contributor to many newspapers and periodicals, and is well known as a professional genealogist, having published the "Knowlton Ancestry" in 1896, and the "Southworth Genealogy" in 1898.

Dr. Stocking has had a very successful career in the lecture field, and



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was at one time on the staff of the Chautauqua University. In Masonic matters he has always taken a deep interest, and has held the principal offices in the lodge, chapter, council, and commandery, having been for eight years grand chaplain of the Grand Lodge of New Jersey. He is a man of phenomenal health and strength, having had but one illness worth mentioning since he was twenty years old.

Isabelle Holcomb is the dau. of Mr. William W. and Julia (Wheaton) Holcomb, of Bridgeport, Conn., where she was b. September 21, 1844. Her father was a prominent merchant, and was at one time chief engineer of the fire department. Isabelle is the lineal descendant of the Rev. John Russell, of Hadley, Mass., in whose house the regicides of Charles II. were harbored. Her great-grandfather, Jonathan Russell, was a Revolutionary soldier, and her ancestors were prominent in the development of New Haven Colony.

808 Francis Baker Stocking and Mary E. Edwards had:

(1440) Louis Clifford, b. August 22, 1862. m. 1st, Jennie Lyman Badger.

Francis Baker was b. in Yantic, Conn., educated in the public schools, and learned the machinist trade at the Novelty Iron Works, Norwich, Conn., where he has been for forty-eight years engaged in machine building, the longest period of service of any person connected with the Company. In 1858 he began the study of music, and in 1859 became a member of the 13th Regt. Band, Conn. Vol., the connection lasting several years. He has also for many years been a member of various glee clubs and orchestras, and a very successful teacher of the guitar and organ. He has res. in Norwich Township all his life.

Mary Eliza was b. in Cleveland, O. Dau. of Mark Edwards, of Petersburg, Va., and Mary Eliza Allatton, his wife, of New York City. The Edwardses had much property in slaves, all of which was lost at the time of the Civil War.

Son Louis Clifford was educated in private and public schools, learned the drug business, and was for twelve years head clerk in the pharmacy of John M. Brewer, Norwich. Ill-health compelling a change of business, he became bookkeeper of the Willimantic Silk Co., Preston, Conn. Returning to the pharmacy for a season, he rem. in 1895 to Hampton, Conn., where he now has a dairy farm, supplying the Boston market. He m. 2d, March 16, 1895, Miss Jennie Wheeler, of Hampton. No children.

809 Dwight Clifford Stocking and Addie Bryant had:

(1441) Fannie, b. July 12, 1872. d. young.

(1442) Thomas Marvin, b. February 3, 1876. m. April 18, 1897, Leonora May Raymond. She d. October 5, 1901.

(1443) Alice Bryant, b. January 23, 1879.

Dwight Clifford was b. in Norwich, Conn., and at an early age went on a whaling voyage. He followed the sea for many years, filling many important and responsible positions, having been for a considerable time first officer of a steamship. He was a great traveler, and visited every country on the globe. His contagious good-humor, ready wit, and cosmopolitan life and experience, made him an entertaining companion and a popular favorite. His later life was spent in New York and Brooklyn, in the office of the Sligo Iron Works, and in the chronometer and ship supply business. He d. at Canterbury, Conn., of sunstroke, September 17, 1878, and is buried in Wilton, Conn. His widow m. 2d, October 22, 1885, Moses B. Wells.

813 Solon Walter Stocking

has never married. He res. in Washington, D. C., where he has made his home for many years. To a fine physical presence, nature and industry have added mental gifts and attainments of an unusual character, as is evidenced by the following civil and military record:

Marble-worker, teacher, graduate and valedictorian of his class, Hamilton College, 1855; graduate of Hamilton College Law School, and admitted to the bar of State of New York, 1858; soldier, as private, U. S. Vol. Infantry, May, 1861; first lieutenant and captain 1st N. Y. Light Artillery; mustered out July, 1865, by reason of close of the war, as brevet major, U. S. Vols. and brevet colonel, N. Y. Vols.; law clerk, Freedman's Bureau, Washington, D. C., 1865; in the State and Executive Departments of the State of New York; clerk of the Committee on Cities, Senate of the State of New York; clerk in the Land Office, Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C., September 1, 1869; clerk, Class 1, U. S. Census Office (9th Census), April, 1870; clerk, Classes 2, 3, and 4, and Chief of Division of Results, August 1, 1870. On competitive examination appointed 3d Asst. Examiner in the United States Patent Office, Washington, D. C., January 9, 1873; qualified July 11, 1873; promoted to 2d Asst. Examiner, July 13, 1874; 1st Asst. Examiner, November 10, 1874; Principal Examiner, April 27, 1876, and appointed by the Presi-



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dent, and confirmed by the United States Senate, as a member of the Board of Examiners in Chief, April 19, 1889, which position he now (1902) occupies.

816 Edgar Blood Stocking and Emily Chapman had:

- (1444) Walter Edgar, b. July 29, 1868. d. October 4, 1875, at Syracuse, N. Y.
- (1445) Sarah Emily, b. July 7, 1869. d. October 6, 1875, at Syracuse, N. Y.
- (1446) George Selah, b. December 21, 1872. d. February 16, 1876, at Syracuse, N. Y.
- (1447) Fanny Huldah, b. September 17, 1877.
- (1448) Emily Chapman, b. July 27, 1879. d. May 11, 1885, at Washington, D. C.
- (1449) Mary Edna, b. April 15, 1881.

Wife Emily was dau. of Simeon B. and Huldah A. Chapman, of Marcellus, N. Y. She d. May 14, 1890, and Edgar B. m. July 16, 1891, her sister Sarah, by whom he had no children. Edgar B. is a prominent patent lawyer in Washington, D. C., a man of genius and marked ability, as is sufficiently attested by the following military and civil record:

Enlisted as private, Battery K 1st N. Y. Light Artillery, September 1, 1864; honorably discharged, June 20, 1865, at the close of the war; Assistant U. S. Marshall, 23d District of N. Y., appointed May, 1870; U. S. Internal Revenue Storekeeper, appointed November 21, 1871; clerk in U. S. Pension Office, November 5, 1875, upon civil service examination; transferred to U. S. Patent Office, December 7, 1876; June 23, 1877, promoted on competitive examination to 3d Assistant Examiner in said office; resigned, November 20, 1879, and began the practice of patent law before the Office and in the United States Circuit Courts, and in the Supreme Court of the United States.

823 Benjamin Stocking and Loisa Benedict had:

- (1450) Albert D., b. April 15, 1835. m. Lois Hulbert.
- (1451) Rev. George B., b. September 15, 1837. m. December 25, 1858, Cornelia Ellis.

Benjamin was a farmer, and d. in Cato, N. Y., December, 1893. Wife Loisa d. at Quincy, Mich., 1885.

831 George Wesley Stocking and Matilda Bush had:

(1452) Frances, m. Alfred Waterbury.

(1453) Tamar Pound, He d. February 18, 1858.

833 Dr. Charles Giles Stocking and Mary Woodhull had:

(1454) Marietta S., b. December 14, 1847. m. June 9, 1869, John Wesley Knaggs.

(1455) George Abner, b. March 2, 1849.

(1456) Dimeis Tryphena, b. May 7, 1852. m. Charles H. Denison.

(1457) Charles Abner, b. September 23, 1854. d. young.

(1458) George Wesley, b. May 18, 1856. d. young.

Dr. Charles Giles d. June 8, 1898. Res. Penn Yan, Seneca Falls, Montezuma, and Westbury, N. Y. He was a prominent physician in every place of residence. A man of commanding presence and benevolent aspect, he was widely known through the countryside for his humane disposition, as well as for his professional skill. His best strength and effort were always at the service of the poor, from whom he expected no reward except the satisfaction of relieving human suffering and cheering the desolate, and he built his monument in the hearts of his fellowmen. His widow res. in Spring Lake, N. Y.

834 Solon Cook Stocking and Mrs. Cynthia (Ostrander) Hill had:

(1459) William W.

(1460) Alice.

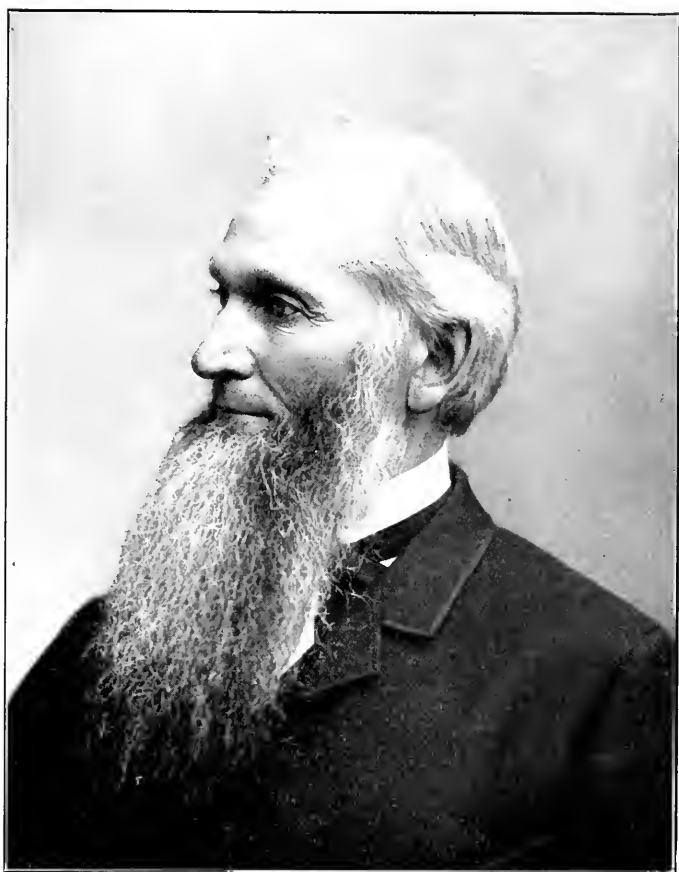
(1461) Dorothy Florence.

Solon C. d. in Jordan, N. Y., February, 1902.

835 Emily Amelia Stocking and William K. Wheat, M. D., had:

(1461A) Frederick Sheaf, b. ——. m. Maria Abigail Montague.

(1461B) Solon Shallor, b. December 1, 1861. d. 1872.



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Emily A. d. in Lansing, Mich., February 10, 1896.

She was b. in Cayuga Co., N. Y., and being the dau. of a Methodist minister, was an earnest and loyal disciple of that faith, and showed her faith by her Christian character and charitable deeds. She rem. to Bay City, Mich., just after the close of the Civil War, and at once became prominent in missionary work and in that of the W. C. T. U. In 1875 her husband, a prominent physician, rem. with his family to Caro, Mich., where they resided until the doctor's appointment to a position in the State Department occasioned their removal to Lansing. Believing in the higher education of women, Mrs. Wheat became a thorough student in the classics and modern languages, taking up German at the unusual age of sixty years. Strong in her convictions and frank in the utterance of them, a profound thinker and of a vigorous personality, she was a natural leader in, and an indomitable champion of, all works of moral and religious beneficence.

836 Helen Mary Stocking and Abram Sturge had:

(1462) Emma Tryphena, b. —.

(1463) Inez.

Helen Mary d. February 17, 1887, at Montezuma, N. Y.

840 Sidney W. Stocking and Charlotte Romine had:

(1464) Mary J., m. Charles Veatch, of St. Louis.

(1465) Annie C., b. —. m. J. W. Nash. Res. Minneapolis.

(1466) Sidney W., Jr., b. —. m. Effie Stiles; m. 2d Jennie Neal.
Res. Rockport, Ind.

Sidney W. is a dealer in hardware and building material. Res. Rockford, Ind.

841 Sophia Stocking and Robert Graham had:

(1467) James.

(1468) John.

Res. Spokane, Wash., where the sons are doing a large wholesale business in paper and stationery.

845 Hon. James S. Stocking and Mary Elizabeth Halam had:

(1469) Hugh L., b. September 29, 1866. m. May Fritch.

(1470) Harold H., b. April 29, 1868. d. August 29, 1887.

(1471) Ella Maude, b. September 13, 1871. m. John W. Miller. She d. November 25, 1899.

Hon. James S. m. 2d Mary Josephine Robinson, of Coshocton Co., Ohio. No issue.

The subject of this sketch was b. in Washington, Pa., December 4, 1839. The death of his father left him in early youth to make his own way in the world, and with the limited knowledge acquired in a common school, he began, at twelve years of age, an unsuccessful struggle with adversity. On April 19, 1861, he enlisted in the Union Army, 112th Pennsylvania Vol.; re-enlisted for three years on August 28, 1861, in the 100th Pennsylvania Vol.; served until January, 1864; again re-enlisted for the entire duration of the war, and was successively promoted from private to first lieutenant. At the battle near Poplar Grove Church, Va., he lost his left arm by a gunshot wound, and was mustered out in January, 1865. After the war he became a telegraph operator in connection with a news and notion store; elected clerk of Washington County Courts; re-elected in 1875; Representative in the State Legislature in 1889 and '91; postmaster under President Arthur; superintendent of Seed Department in Agricultural Bureau at Washington, D. C., under President Harrison; associate editor and proprietor for three years of the *Washington (D. C.) Observer*, and since that time a successful dealer in real estate, having laid out successively Kalorama and Woodland, suburbs of Washington, Pa., and in company with other investors, West Washington, East Washington, and the Gordon Addition. Was first president of the Gordon Land Co., and at present its treasurer. Though not endowed by nature with a rugged constitution, he has so conserved his physical forces by strict teetotal principles and by fixed habits of industry, that the medical profession have not been able since the war to secure him as a patient. The whole career of this remarkable man is an admirable illustration of what can be accomplished by energy, perseverance, and integrity, in the face of seemingly insuperable obstacles.

Mary Josephine, the second wife, is the granddaughter of General Robinson, a pioneer of Washington Co., Pa., who was once captured by the Indians, bound to a stake, and about to be burned, but who was released by Logan, the chief of the Mingoes.

846 Alfred H. Stocking and Arabella Williams had:

- (1473)
- (1474)
- (1475) Shirley.

Alfred H. m. 2d Barbara Schrecker. He is proprietor of the Auld House, Washington, Pa.

851 Ellen Eliza Stocking and John Wesley Strong had:

- (1476) Edna Eliza, b. ——. d. young.
- (1477) Henry Wesley, d. young.
- (1478) Frederick Augustus, b. September 29, 1861. m. October 17, 1889, Mary Warner Grannis. General Superintendent of Eaton, Cole & Burnham Works, Bridgeport, Conn.
Arthur Edward, d. young.

Res. Springfield and Northampton, Mass., and New Haven, Conn. John W. d. October, 1893, and his widow res. in Bridgeport, Conn.

852 Martha King Stocking and Albert B. Clough had:

- (1479) Ida Beatrice Lee, b. February 27, 1874.
- (1480) Grace Day, b. November 29, 1876. m. October 24, 1901, Everett Elwood Jessup.

Res. New Haven and Bridgeport, Conn. Mr. Clough was b. April 4, 1840, son of Wyman and Sophronia Hamilton (Parsons) Clough, of Chicopee Falls, Mass. He was for twenty-four years the head tool-maker for Eaton, Cole & Burnham Works, at Bridgeport, where he d. January 1, 1900.

858 Ann Elizabeth Stocking and J. Edgar Davis had:

- (1481) Paul Alexander, b. October 17, 1867.
- (1482) Mary, b. May 29, 1869. m. January 1, 1895, Dr. Lyman Jones, of North Adams, Mass.
- (1483) Helen Augusta, b. April 12, 1873.

Mr. Davis is a clothing merchant in Worcester.

871 Elisha Day Stocking and Ella Prentice had:

- (1484) Nellie Day, b. October 16, 1873. m. Orvis M. Savels, of Worcester, Mass.
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873 Isaac G. Stocking and Lainey McDowell had:

- (1485) Jane, b. January 5, 1831. d. May 14, 1882. unm.
 (1486) Isaac H., b. December 6, 1832. d. October 7, 1877. unm.
 (1487) Daniel B., b. September 3, 1834. d. April 10, 1879. unm.
 Was government clerk, Washington, D. C. Served in the Civil War, and d. at Omaha.
 (1488) Harriet G., b. September 5, 1837. m. November 7, 1865, R. W. Braden. Had son Clark. Res. Washington, D. C.
 (1489) Matilda, b. December 17, 1841. d. young.
 (1490) Robert McD., b. September 17, 1843. m. December 28, 1867, Imogen Storrs.
 (1491) Elizabeth, b. April 11, 1846. d. May 27, 1850.

Isaac G. was a prosperous farmer, res. at Flockville, Lisbon Township, N. Y., and d. March 26, 1877. Lainey d. October 5, 1888.

874 Mary M. Stocking and William Armstrong had:

- (1492) Timothy, b. 1829. m. — —. Had dau. Minnie, New York City.
 (1493) William L., b. September 26, 1831. m. June 1, 1851, Jane McCarter. He d. March 3, 1894.
 (1494) Mary F., b. September, 1837. m. Dr. H. F. Canfield. She d. June 29, 1860.

Mary M. d. June 26, 1862.

875 Billius Stocking, Jr., and Mary Hunt had:

- (1495) Henry S., b. April 30, 1840. d. young.
 (1496) Mary Frances, b. July 18, 1845. m. January 9, 1867, John Widdicomb.
 (1497) Theodore B., b. April 22, 1849. d. March 4, 1876.

(1498) Alida C., b. January 10, 1852. unm. Res. Grand Rapids.

(1499) Arthur, b. March 17, 1854. d. young.

Billius, Jr., was b. in Lisbon, N. Y., and rem. to Grand Rapids, Mich., where he d. May 28, 1893. He was for several years a farmer, subsequently an appraiser of Western land.

876 Daniel C. Stocking and Mary Hanna had:

(1500) Mary Hortense, b. July 19, 1847. d. young.

(1501) David B., b. October 9, 1840. Served in the Civil War, 78th Regt. N. Y. S. V. d. at Alexandria, Va., December 21, 1862.

(1502) Myron T., b. July 1, 1846. m. 1869, Elizabeth Thompson.

(1503) Jerome D., b. December 24, 1849. m. October 3, 1878, Emma A. Hubbell, of Altona, Ill.

Daniel rem. from New York State to Grand Rapids, Mich., 1837, when that locality was only an Indian village. He returned East, settling in Lisbon Center, N. Y., where he d. February 21, 1882. Son Myron T. still preserves as a relic the hub of one of the wheels of the wagon in which the above family emigrated to Michigan.

877 Martha S. Stocking and Henry McFadden had:

(1504) Elizabeth D., b. June 15, 1831. m. May 27, 1852, William W. Glass. She d. May 23, 1898.

(1505) Mary G., b. October 26, 1833. m. September 26, 1850, Adam McCormick. She d. April 11, 1899.

(1506) Billins S., b. January 6, 1836. m. February 12, 1859, Hester A. Lanktree. He d. February 20, 1875.

(1507) Melissa J., b. June 11, 1839. m. February 12, 1859, James W. Bailie.

(1508) George, b. September 20, 1841. d. July 21, 1844.

(1509) Henry, b. March 20, 1846. m. August 29, 1872, Jane E. Murphy. He d. February 7, 1879.

(1510) M. Lucretia, b. December 1, 1848. m. November 7, 1868, John M. Harshan.

(1511) H. Celestia, b. May 27, 1851. m. September 15, 1892, Horace P. Boothroyd. He d. April 7, 1893.

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(1512) Hartencia L., b. August 1, 1853. m. November 9, 1876, Lev-
erett E. McCurdy.

Martha was b. in Lisbon, N. Y.

879 James F. Stocking and Jane Chambers had:

(1513) John B., b. July 9, 1847. d. young.

(1514) Margaret M., b. December 9, 1848. d. young.

(1515) Lainey A., b. February 9, 1853. m. W. A. Grey.

(1516) Alida C., b. October 31, 1857. d. November 30, 1861.

(1517) Beatrice, b. August 28, 1864. m. James E. McFadden.

(1518) Theodore C., b. August 28, 1864. unm. Res. in Stillwater,
Minn.

James F. was b. in Lisbon, N. Y.; rem. to Waterford, Minn., where he
d. October 7, 1887.

880 Melissa Stocking and R. Spooner had:

(1519) James T., b. August 30, 1843. unm. A farmer.

(1520) Ruggles S., b. April 12, 1847. unm. A farmer.

(1522) Newell E., b. July 8, 1856. m. May 18, 1897. d. February 11,
1899.

(1523) Amelia M., b. September 18, 1858. d. November 6, 1894.

Rem. from New York to Big Rapids, Mich., in 1862, where she d.
March 9, 1900. Mr. Spooner is a farmer.

881 Dr. Duncan F. Stocking and Susan Whiteside had:

(1524) Hobart M.

885 Amanda Stocking and Frederick Small had:

(1525) Gertrude.

(1526) Julia.

Fred. Small was a farmer, and d. 1895, at Springfield, N. Y.

886 Alena Stocking and Herbert Small had:

(1527) Frank, b. 1857. Gone to the Klondike.

Alena d. March 25, 1865. Herbert was a farmer.

887 Henry J. Stocking and Helen Wagar had no children:

He was b. in Springfield, N. Y.; enlisted in Co. K, 43d Regt. N. Y. Vol.; participated in six general engagements; was taken prisoner, and honorably discharged with rank of sergeant. He d. May 27, 1865.

888 Alsina L. Stocking and William Wicks had:

(1528) Amelia.

(1529) Hosea.

William was a merchant. d. March 11, 1890.

889 Lailey Hezekiah Stocking and Julia Bates had:

(1530) Charles S., b. March 12, 1864. d. August 17, 1883.

(1531) Ada S., b. May 7, 1877. d. July 26, 1898.

He was by trade a molder. d. August 10, 1883.

890 Andrew J. Stocking and Elna E. Burke had:

(1532) Nellie P., b. February 17, 1870. m. January 5, 1898, Harris Chase.

(1533) Maude B., b. January 5, 1872. m. July 3, 1891, Hosea Wicks.

(1533A) Fred L., b. July 21, 1875.

(1534) Vaughn D., b. August 25, 1877. Res. Burlington Flats, N. Y.

(1535) Mura, b. August 25, 1877. m. Leroy Barton.

(1536) Leo A., b. September 17, 1888.

Andrew J. is a carpenter, res. at Fly Creek, N. Y.

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893 Charlotte L. Stocking and George Lippitt had:

- (1537) Carrie E., b. December 28, 1878.
 - (1538) Hugh O., b. November 24, 1886.
 - (1539) Harry B., b. August 15, 1888.
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905 Rev. James Brainard Stocking and Julia C. Dole had:

- (1540) Alice Winnifred, b. June 19, 1877.
- (1541) Ernest Dole, b. November 23, 1879.
- (1542) Judson Coleman, b. April 22, 1881. m. February, 1900, Edna Finnegan.
- (1543) Burton Richards, b. July 16, 1886.
- (1544) Ruth, b. October 20, 1889.

Rev. James B. was b. in Elyria, O.; educated in the public schools; graduated from Oberlin College, and also from Oberlin Theological Seminary in 1880; ordained to the ministry of the Congregational Church, September, 1880; has held pastorates in North Ridgefield, and Chatham, O., in New Castle, Colo., and at present is pastor of the Congregational Church, Wahoo, Neb.

907 Alfred Stocking and Elizabeth Ward had:

- (1545) Daniel Azen, b. June 23, 1876. Res. Elyria, O. Unm.
 - (1546) Lucy Calista, b. June 30, 1879.
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908 George Stocking and Minnie Denison had:

- (1547) Dorothea, b. October 23, 1885.
 - (1548) Alice D., b. December 11, 1887.
 - (1549) Ellis.
 - (1550) Ruth.
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911 Edwin Stocking and Caroline Peckham had:

- (1551) Charles Peckham, b. August 31, 1864. Res. Waubaushene, Ontario, Canada. Unm.

- (1552) Mary Lydia, b. February 3, 1867. m. May 22, 1902, Walter Samuel B. Armstrong. Res. Toronto.
- (1553) Ellie Frances, b. May 23, 1871. m. April 6, 1898, Charles Henry Sheppard. Res. Brule Lake, Algonquin Park, Ontario.
- (1554) Fred Townsend, b. December 10, 1873. unm. Res. Victor, Colo.

Edwin Stocking was b. at Springfield, Otsego Co., N. Y. When he was but one year old, his parents rem. to Reynold's Basin, N. Y., via the Erie Canal. Young Edwin's fondness for the water brought him into such peril that he was twice rescued from the Canal, his life being saved with difficulty. His father was a severe, though just, man in the matter of domestic training, and the fact that young Edwin never needed punishment is sufficient proof of his youthful integrity. He was diligent in study when a boy, and under his grandfather's instruction, he developed such a taste and capacity for the mechanic arts, that at the age of fifteen he was already a clever worker in wood and iron, and he built a tricycle and a steam engine. One year later he actively engaged in merchandise, and in buying stock for market, and when his father took contracts for building sections of the N. Y. Central R. R., Edwin was invaluable to, and very popular among, the employees. When eighteen years old, he conceived the idea of becoming an engineer, and he went to Rochester, N. Y., for that purpose. In one week's time he qualified himself not only to run, but also to build an engine. When twenty-one years old, he went to Warrington, Simcoe Co., Ontario, and worked in a mill, saving enough from his wages to purchase eighty acres of wild land in Michigan, which gave him a competence later on. His employer at Warrington, Mr. Stephen Peckham, a York State Quaker, discovering the mechanical genius of his employee, soon promoted him to be engineer of the works, and in 1863 he married Caroline Peckham, daughter of his employer. In 1865 he moved to Toronto, and took entire charge of the construction of a telegraph line from Detroit to Quebec. In 1867 he became a partner in the lumber firm of Peckham, Hoag & Co., of Newmarket, Ontario, and in 1872 he rem. to Erie, Pa., to take charge of that end of the business. While overseeing the delivery of logs at Misery Bay, Lake Erie, he contracted a severe cold, ending in consumption; universal depression in business in 1875 followed, one of his partners proved to be dishonest, and under the pressure of such combined misfortunes, he gradually succumbed, and went to his long and peaceful rest on June 10, 1875.

Edwin was a keen sportsman, and in his many hunting excursions along the Nottawasaga River, with his brother Edgar, and his particular friend, Mr. George Randolph, he always secured valuable and abundant

game. His social enthusiasm and business energy marked him as a man of unusual attractiveness, and these personal characteristics were chastened and consecrated by a sound Christian walk and conversation in the communion of the Presbyterian Church.

912 Mary Phylena Stocking and John Kidder Fuller had:

- (1555) Charles Vincent, b. January 15, 1863. Res. Grand Ledge, Mich.
 (1556) Emma Mae, b. September 15, 1871. m. Floyd Chedwick. Res. Grand Ledge, Mich.
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916 Edgar L. Stocking and Mary E. Barnes had:

- (1557) Alfred William, b. January 16, 1882. unm. A music teacher. Res. Buffalo, N. Y.
 (1558) Edgar Loomis, Jr., b. March 20, 1884. d. July 30, 1884.

Edgar L. was b. at Reynold's Basin, N. Y. In 1862 he went to Warrington, Ont., where he engaged in lumbering. In 1873 he was a lumber inspector at Buffalo. At his brother's death, in 1875, he spent a short time in Erie, Pa., adjusting his brother's affairs, and returning to Buffalo, he took charge of the lumber yard of Haines & Co., a position which he still retains. Mary E. was b. in Tonawanda, N. Y.

951 Charles H. Stocking and Mary L. Slaton had:

- (1559) E. E., b. February 19, 1864. m. Harriett Anna Stammand.
 (1560) Dr. Charles H., b. July 19, 1874. m. September 11, 1894, Mina A. Woodside.
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958 Henry Francis Stocking and Anna G. Pepper had:

- (1561) Raymond F., b. January 7, 1873. m. Elleta Elmer.
 (1562) Nellie Mable, b. September 22, 1875. m. Herbert R. Fitch. Res. San Diego, Cali.
 (1563) Clyde Henry, b. September 2, 1878. m. Ella Gray.

Henry F. is a real estate dealer in Coronado, Cal.



REV. CHARLES HENDRICKSON STOCKING, D. D.

961 Maggie Stocking and John H. Jones had:

(1563A) Frank, b. October, 1887.

(1563B) Bessie, b. 1888.

(1563C) Clyde, b. 1890.

Res. Atlanta, Mo.

963 George Scott Stocking and Carrie L. Palmer had no children.

She was an accomplished educator, and was the sister of the wife of the Hon. A. W. Jones, lieutenant governor of Ohio. In 1865 they rem. to Missouri, where he became a preacher of the Missouri Annual Conference of the M. E. Church. After twenty years of faithful and successful service he returned to Ohio, ministering there until his death, 1893. Wife Carrie L. d. 1894.

964 Rev. Dr. Charles Hendrickson Stocking and Adella Madora Wilkins had:

(1564) David Wilkins, b. June 6, 1871. m. July 24, 1901, Ada A. Harvey.

(1565) Dr. Lyman C., b. October 16, 1872. Res. St. Louis, Mo.

(1566) Jesse Elizabeth, b. June 3, 1876. d. October 16, 1892.

(1567) Edward Dallas, b. September 14, 1880. d. November 4, 1892.

(1568) Ruth Jennings, b. March 31, 1887.

(1569) Thomas George, b. September 25, 1892. d. November 3, 1892.

(1570) Bessie Esther, b. August 14, 1894.

The Rev. Dr. Chas. H. was b. in Hambden, O. He early developed a rare musical taste and facility, and under skillful professors of repute, he turned his talents to such practical use that he paid, for the most part, the cost of his literary and academic education. At seventeen years of age, he was teaching in Kirtland, O., and a year later, while a student in the Willoughby Institute, he was called to the ministry of the M. E. Church. Two years later he enlisted in Co. E Ohio Infantry for three years, or the war; was wounded at the battle of Perryville, Ky., October 8, 1862, and after four months of suffering in hospital, was honorably discharged on account of physical disability. In December, 1864, he entered the sophomore class of Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., where he took the "Hunter Prize" for the best essay, and the "Painter Prize" for best declamation;

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was graduated in June, 1866, entered the Garrett Biblical Institute at Evanston, Ill., and received the degree of B. D. in October, 1868.

His first charge as settled pastor was at Marysville, Mo., and his subsequent pastorates have been successively at St. Joseph, Mo., Chillicothe, Mo., East Cleveland, Massillon, Wooster, Gallion, and Elyria, O.; Burlington, Ia., Duluth, Minn., St. Joseph, and St. Louis, Mo., and Youngstown, O. The honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred on him, May 8, 1890, by the trustees of Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston, Ill.

Dr. Stocking has utilized his musical gifts and culture for the benefit of the work of religion all over the country. In 1882 he associated himself with the Revs. George L. Hanawalt, Thos. C. Warner, and L. N. Baker, in the organization of the "North Ohio Conference Quartette," which has sung to thousands upon thousands, and with remarkable effect at the Lakeside, Lancaster, Baltimore, and Ocean Grove (N. J.) camp-meetings; at the Epworth League, Chattanooga, Tenn., at Armory Hall in Philadelphia, and at the dedication services of the Belmont Ave. Church, Youngstown, O. On the death of Dr. Warner, his place was filled by the first bass of the Missouri Conference.

Dr. Stocking is an enthusiastic member of the G. A. R., and has served as an active and laborious chaplain to the various posts at which his ministerial duties have called him. A self-made man, gifted beyond most of his brethren with those forces and graces which, when rightly utilized, make a man a controlling power in any community, he has made a record for citizenship, patriotism, and religion that will not be forgotten.

Wife, Adelia Madora, was m. to Dr. Stocking at Belvidere, Ill., when scarcely eighteen years of age, and her record is that of a devoted, self-sacrificing and loving wife and mother.

Son David W. graduated from the high school at Duluth in June, 1891; served in the Spanish War, and is now a vessel broker in Duluth.

Son Lyman C. graduated from the same school in 1892; from Hamline University, St. Paul, in 1896, and from the Philadelphia Medical College in 1899, and is now a practicing physician in St. Louis, Mo.

Rev. Dr. Chas. H. is now pastor of the M. E. Church in Ashtabula, O.

965 John Wesley Stocking and Emma S. Pinney had no children.

They res. on Willoughby Ridge, O., in the old homestead where Emma d. John W. was a farmer, and a devoted and helpful member of the M. E. Church. He d. January 16, 1899, leaving his property to an adopted son.

969 George William Stocking and Emeline Ludlow Petersen had:

- (1571) Alice Elizabeth, b. ——. m. Chas. A. Meritt.
- (1572) Fannie Hurd, b. ——. m. Augustus W. Albright.
- (1573) Carrie Eliza, b. ——. m. Wm. B. Fair.
- (1574) Carl Ludlow, b. ——. m. August 31, 1901, Maria Louise Baker.

George Wm. was b. in Hambden, O., August 6, 1835. At the breaking out of the Civil War, he enlisted as a private in Co. G, 41st Regt. O. V. I., and after four years and two months of faithful service, he was mustered out at Camp Chase, Ohio. It is worthy of remark that of the 101 original members, he was one of only eight left in the company at the mustering out. Sergeant Stocking's name appears on the Honor Roll of the Army of the Cumberland, in accordance with the orders of Gen. Rosecranz after the battle of Murfreesboro. Later on, at the siege of Chattanooga, Sergeant Stocking was selected as one of a picked force for the capture of Brown's Ferry, by which successful movement reinforcements and rations were sent to a besieged and starving army. During the last nine months of his service, he was the special messenger of Major General George H. Thomas.

In the winter of '65 and '66, George W. rem. his family to Atlanta, Ga., where he engaged in mercantile business and railroading for several years, the latter being his almost constant business until 1898, when he was appointed cashier of the U. S. Customs at the port of Mobile, Ala. He had previously held for some time the office of Registrar for the 35th Senatorial District of Georgia during the period of reconstruction.

Wife Emeline S. is the dau. of John and Elizabeth Petersen, formerly of St. John's, New Brunswick, and a direct lineal descendant of the historic Ludlows of Scotland. Present res. Mobile, Ala.

970 Lucia A. Stocking and Judge C. R. Lord had:

- (1575) William.
- (1576) George.
- (1577) Charles.
- (1578) Hattie.
- (1579) Bertha.

Res. Berkeley, Cal.

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972 Maria Jeanette Stocking and Dr. Denius Trumbull had:

- (1580) Charles A., b. November 27, 1848. m. December 25, 1879, Susan Amerman. He d. February 2, 1880, Riverton, Neb.
- (1581) Emily H., b. February 22, 1851. m. August 24, 1885, Rufus Galyean. Res. Waterloo, Ia.
- (1582) Susan C., b. December 25, 1855. m. March 18, 1884, Alvin W. Dillon. He d. October 23, 1890.
- (1583) Addie M., b. October 6, 1867. m. April 27, 1891, Frank Bullis. Res. Colorado Springs, Colo.

Residence rem. from Illinois to Manchester, Ia., in 1855; thence to Colorado Springs in 1896, where Dr. Trumbull d. December 3, 1899.

973 George Eber Stocking and Emily Roberts had:

- (1584) Fred. C., b. May 27, 1860. d. 1883, at Manchester, Ia. unm.
- (1585) Calista, b. February 10, 1863. m. —.
- (1586) George N., b. March 16, 1865. m. February 24, 1892, Mrs. Mattie (Stewart) Crocker.

George Eber m. 2d Jennie Z. Martin, of Greely,
Ia., Nov. 10, 1872, they had:

- (1587) Albert Chester, b. July 20, 1875. m. May 29, 1901, Alice M. Hill. Res. Sunrise, Wyo.
- (1588) Nettie May, b. May 23, 1880. Res. New Windsor, Colo. A musician.
- (1589) Charlie Clark, b. September 22, 1883.

George Eber was b. in Bemis Co., Mich., March 7, 1832, and d. at Windsor, Colo., February 7, 1899. When he was quite young, his parents rem. to the Western Reserve, O., where his father d. His widowed mother married again, and George E. rem. to Adams Co., Mo. In 1881 he rem. to Fort Collins, Colo., and later to Windsor, Colo., where he was city marshal. He was accidentally shot by a neighbor who was examining a shotgun in a hardware store preparatory to a hunt, not knowing that the gun was loaded. George E. received the contents of the barrel in his shoulder, severing the artery, and shattering the shoulder blade, from which injuries the unfortunate man died the same day. His widow now keeps the American Hotel at New Windsor, Colo.

983 Maria Curtiss Stocking and Miles Isaac Bull had:

- (1590) Alice Gardner, b. April 14, 1864. m. June 2, 1886, Howard M. Millard.
 - (1591) Julia Bidwell, b. February 22, 1868. m. June 4, 1891, John Edward Gubb.
 - (1592) Edward Carrington, b. March 12, 1871. m. October 19, 1898, Nancy Warren.
 - (1593) Helen Miles, b. June 11, 1872. m. September 5, 1894, Louis A. Prentice.
- Res. Batavia, N. Y.
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984 Joseph A. Stocking and Jennette Mathson had:

- (1594) Thomas M., b. March 15, 1866. m. January 10, 1888, Mary Ellen Ott.
 - (1595) George B., b. November 6, 1867. Buffalo.
 - (1596) Robbins D., b. November 24, 1869.
 - (1597) Joseph A., Jr., b. April 26, 1873. Buffalo.
 - (1598) Louisa, b. November 21, 1883. d. young.
- Joseph A. was b. in Buffalo; served in the U. S. Navy during the Civil War, 1862-65. Jennette was from Aurora, N. Y.
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999 Sophia Stocking and Dr. Blodgett had:

- (1599) George.
- (1600) Spencer.
- (1601) Grace.

Res. Cooperstown, N. Y.

1002 Samuel Stocking and Alline N. Williams had:

- (1602) Alline N., b. September 14, 1872. m. January 29, 1895, Chas. Sumner Clark.
- (1603) Catherine Mary, b. June 25, 1874. unm. Res. Atlanta, Ga.
- (1604) Samuel, b. December 29, 1876. unm. Res. New York City.

Samuel was graduated from the Cooperstown, N. Y., Collegiate Institute. Served in the Civil War, 1861, as first lieutenant Co. A, 14th N. Y. State Volunteers; promoted to first lieutenant commanding Co. H, 25th Regt. N. Y. State Volunteers; mustered out in the fall of 1863; paymaster of Military Railroad at Nashville, Tenn., 1864 and '65; teller of Georgia (Atlanta) National Bank for seven and a half years; assistant cashier of Merchants' Bank; is now treasurer of the Atlanta Cotton Mills.

1011 William Morrison Stocking and Hannah Fairgrieves had:

- (1605) William, } twins. d. young.
 (1606) Roderick, }
 (1607) William, d. young.
 (1608) Roderick, d. young.

William M. was a Sandy Hook pilot. He d. 1868. Hannah was from New York City.

1012 Jeanette Shephard Stocking and Revilo C. Hubbard had:

- (1609) Harriet Maria, b. May 1, 1856. m. George L. Peck.
 (1610) Revilo Wilson, b. April 30, 1861. unm.

Jeanette d. December 16, 1863. Res. Meriden, Conn.

1014 Roderick Michael Stocking and Harriet Brightman had:

- (1611) Roderick Edward Anthony, b. —. m. Carrie Simms.
 Ticket agent, Providence, R. I.

Roderick d. January 2, 1868. Harriet was from Fall River, Mass.

1021 J. Emily Stocking and Rev. Alfred T. Waterman had:

- (1612) Charlotte Hutchins, b. November 25, 1866.
 (1613) Jason, b. December 3, 1868. m. August 5, 1897, Maud Evelyn Holly, Paducah, Ky.

(1614) William Stocking, b. October 8, 1871.

(1615) Fanny Fitch, b. December 1, 1875.

(1616) Caroline Darrow, b. May 18, 1882.

(1617) Storrs Seymour, b. August 2, 1884.

Rev. Alfred was b. December 12, 1832, in Providence, R. I.; graduated from Yale College, 1855; Princeton Theological Seminary, 1860; ordained at Preston, Conn., November 9, 1864; preached in Middletown, Conn., and Michigan. Wife, J. Emily Stocking, was educated at Mt. Holyoke (Mass.) Seminary, and at the State Normal School in Westfield, where she graduated in 1862. Res. Washington, D. C.

1022 Rev. William Redfield Stocking, Jr., and Hattie E. Lyman, of Southampton, Mass., had no children. She d. Sept. 19, 1872, in Hassan, Turkey, while on a missionary tour, and William m. 2d, October 28, 1873, Isabella C. Baker, dau. of Emanuel and Sophia (Parsons) Baker, of Wiscasset, Me., they had:

(1618) Emily Holmes, b. July 18, 1875, in Persia.

(1619) Sophia Cochran, b. July 18, 1875, in Persia.

(1620) Lyman Gilbert, b. December 9, 1876. d. 1887.

(1621) Ethel, b. February 7, 1878, in Persia.

(1622) Annie Woodman, b. January 7, 1880, in Wiscasset, Me.

(1623) William Redfield, 3d, b. May 7, 1881, in Wiscasset, Me.

(1624) Samuel Baker, b. November 7, 1883, in Williamstown, Mass.

(1625) Charles Parsons, b. November 9, 1887, on Blackwell's Island, N. Y.

(1626) Isabelle Caroline, b. January 31, 1889. d. 1890.

Rev. William served for three years in the Civil War, Co. G, 34th Regt. Mass. Infantry; graduated from Williams College, 1869; ordained June 19, 1871, and served as missionary in Persia seven years; pastor in Williamstown, Mass., 1882-85; superintendent of Blackwell's Island Work-house, 1886-91. Wife Isabella d. August 17, 1890. Rev. William res. Williamstown, Mass.

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1023 Harriet Stoddard Stocking and Rev. Rodney L. Tabor had:

- (1627) Edward Roberts, b. July 4, 1873. m. June 9, 1896, Lina Beck.
- (1628) Alice Bradley, b. November 21, 1876.
- (1629) William Rodney, b. January 7, 1882.
- (1630) Hattie Stocking, b. November 15, 1883.

Harriet Stoddard Stocking was educated at the Massachusetts State Normal School in Westfield. Rev. Rodney Tabor was b. in Quincy, Mass., September 21, 1846; graduated from Williams College, and Union Theological Seminary; ordained 1872; officiated in West Hartford, 1872-4, and in Alameda, Cal., until his death, December 22, 1885. His widow res. there.

1024 Ezra G. Stocking and Harriet E. Grinnell had:

- (1631) Henry Stoddard, b. October 10, 1872. d. December, 1874.
- (1632) Harry Louis, b. November 1, 1873, in Norfolk, Conn. m. April 24, 1895, Susan J. Ford, of Winsted, Conn.
- (1633) Hattie Hayward, b. June 7, 1876. m. — Dudley.

Wife Harriet d. August 24, 1879, and Ezra m. 2d, March 15, 1880, Kate MacMahon, they had:

Edmund Brown, b. July 10, 1881, in Norfolk, Conn.

Ezra G. was a teacher. He d. in Williamstown, Mass., November 7, 1882. Harriet d. in Norfolk, Conn. 2d wife Kate, b. May 18, 1863, was dau. of Thomas and Katherine MacMahon, of New Hartford, Conn.

1025 Frederick McKee Stocking and Lucinda L. Lines had:

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Res. San Francisco, where Fred. McKee is a journalist.

1026 Francis McKee Stocking and Ann Eliza James had:

(1643) Fred W., b. October 4, 1863. m. October 9, 1890, Alma Manning.

(1644) George C., b. August 13, 1865. m. April 9, 1891, Jessie Manning.

(1645) Harry Francis, b. September 16, 1868. d. April 13, 1885.

Francis res. at Chehalis Point, Gray's Harbor, at Satsop and Olympia, Wash., where he d. December 31, 1869. He was a carpenter at Portland, Conn.; rem. to California in 1853, engaged in mining until 1858, when he rem. to Portland, Ore. There he and his brother built a steamer, of which he was the master, plying between Portland and Gray's Harbor, where they founded the first white settlement. He rem. to Olympia in 1866. He d. December 31, 1869.

1028B John Lyman Stocking and Ophelia Lawrence had:

(1645A) William L., b. November 13, 1855. m. October 21, 1880, Mattie A. Bryant; m. 2d, July 1, 1897, Grace Margaret Wittich.

(1645B) Ella Lawrence, b. April 29, 1853. Res. Independence, Mo.

John L. was b. at Perry, N. Y., and d. at Collinsville, Ill., October 21, 1863. His widow res. at Independence, Mo.

1035 Dr. Leonard E. Stocking and Helen Whiteman had:

(1646) Helen Maude, b. April 11, 1884.

Dr. Leonard E. was b. in New York State; graduated from Michigan University, Ann Arbor, taking the degree of Ph. B.; graduated as M. D.

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from St. Louis Medical College; served for twelve years as physician in Hospital for the Insane in Southern Illinois; physician in charge of Ontario Sanitarium, San Diego, Cal., four years; senior physician nine years in Agnew's State Hospital for the Insane, and now medical superintendent of that institution. Wife Helen is the dau. of Jacob Whiteman, Esq., a lawyer of Illinois.

1037 Charles Adelbert Stocking and Hattie E. Hunter had:

(1647) Hattie Hunter, b. 1847. d. young.

Wife Hattie d. in 1847, and Chas. A. m. 2d Sallie St. Clair Brickey, they had:

(1648) Adlebert Eugene, b. May 16, 1879. m. Anna L. Stallman.

(1649) May St. Clair, b. August 23, 1881. Student in Fayette College, Missouri.

(1650) Cornelia Brickey, b. June 23, 1887. Student in Fayette College, Missouri.

Chas. A. was b. near Turin, N. Y.; rem. West, was educated in the public schools and at Bellevue (Mo.) Collegiate Institute; taught in public schools several years; was employed by the Grover & Baker Machine Co., and other firms, then became a farmer, eventually leasing a tract of 7,500 acres of mining and agricultural lands owned by Chas. Moran, of New York City, and located in Washington and Jefferson Co., Mo. He then engaged extensively in mining, smelting, stock raising, and farming, and dealing in agricultural machinery. He now resides at Richwoods, Mo., and is the largest holder of farm lands in the Southeast.

1038 Henrietta Laura Stocking and Charles McIntire had:

(1651) Elmer.

(1652) Mabel.

(1653) Nellie.

(1654) Ollie.

(1655) Claude.

(1656) Earl.

(1657) Mamie.

(1658) Ethel.

1041 Harriet N. Stocking and Henry E. Lathrop had:

(1659) Lucy, b. October 1, 1861. unm.

(1660) Rev. William G., b. July 27, 1865. m. June 16, 1891, Helen Spier.

(1661) Frederick E., b. July 16, 1869. d. young.

(1662) Helen L., b. February 4, 1870.

Res. Providence, R. I.

1042 Gilbert Miles Stocking

was graduated at Yale University in 1861, ranking *sixth* in a class of *ninety-seven*; was prize man, exceedingly apt to learn and to teach, extensively read in general literature, and highly esteemed for personal character and scholarly attainments. Taught school in Lynn, and at the Hopkins School, New Haven; served in the Civil War, 20th Regt. Conn. Vol.; was at the capture of Atlanta, and d. at the Jefferson Hospital Barracks, St. Louis, January 24, 1865.

1043 William Stocking and Elizabeth Lyman had:

(1663) Elizabeth Lyman, b. September 8, 1870. unm.

(1664) Margaret, b. December 6, 1871. m. August 3, 1896, Edward Van Fleet, who d. April 29, 1898.

(1665) Frederick Newell, b. August 22, 1875. unm.

William was b. in Waterbury, Conn.; was graduated from Yale University in 1865; took a post-graduate course there; was a bank clerk for three years, then devoted himself to journalism. He was editor of the Hartford (Conn.) *Evening Press*; sub-editor *Post* and *Morning Courant*; managing editor Detroit (Mich.) *Post*; legislative correspondent at Lansing, Mich., and Washington, D. C.; editor-in-chief of the *Detroit Tribune*. He has published "Under the Oaks," and "The History of Ancient Detroit." He served in the Civil War as private, Co. F, 60th Mass. Vol., July to November, 1864. He res in Detroit, and divides his time between editorial work and real estate interests.

Elizabeth is the dau. of Normand and Elizabeth (Walker) Lyman, b. in Hartford, Conn., January 5, 1843. She is an artist of established reputation.

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1045 Charlotte Coe Stocking and Henry D. Pierce had:

(1665A) Nellie, b. October 31, 1867. d. July 11, 1869.

(1666) Frank Henry, b. February 1, 1871. m. February 22, 1892,
Carrie Bishop.

(1667) Mabel Charlotte, b. August 29, 1875. d. young.

Charlotte Coe was b. in Waterbury, Conn.; rem. to Alliance, O., and
thence to Hiram, O., where she d. March 16, 1893.

1047 Emma Orill Stocking and Henry A. Weir had:

(1668) Julia Emma, b. June 12, 1874. m. September 4, 1895, George
Heidman.

(1669) Mary Louise, b. October 20, 1877.

(1670) John Samuel, b. November 24, 1880. d. young,

Res. Cuyahoga Falls, O., where Emma O. d. August 31, 1891.

1048 Frank Lewis Stocking and Hattie L. Smith had:

(1671) Charles Samuel, b. May 8, 1879. Res. Manila, P. I.

(1672) Hattie Frost, b. September 16, 1880.

(1673) Mary Lucy, b. July 20, 1882. d. December 10, 1886.

(1674) Grace Hudson, b. May 8, 1886.

(1675) Louise, b. December 23, 1896.

Frank Lewis rem. to Jacksonville, Fla., thence to Denver, Colo., and
now res. in Tacoma, Wash., where he was for nine years assistant post-
master. He was appointed August, 1899, Director General of Posts for
the Philippine Islands, which position he was compelled to resign in 1901,
on account of ill health.

1050 Henry Moore Stocking and Ellen A. Mallory had:

(1676) Louis Henry, b. November 8, 1864. m. October, 1885, Mamie
Reid.

Henry M. was a bookkeeper, and a prominent Odd Fellow. Served as
sergeant in the 23d Regt. Conn. Vol. during the Civil War, and d. March
20, 1892. Res. Waterbury, Conn.

1051 George Anson Stocking and Annie Dearth had:

(1677) Herbert Anson, b. February 26, 1870. m. Martha Williams.
Two children.

(1678) William Raymond, b. April 9, 1872.

(1679) Ruth Marshall, b. 1873. Res. Wallingford.

Res. Waterbury, Seymour, and Glastonbury, Conn. Now res. in Glastonbury.

1052 Charles L. Stocking and Lenora Ross had no children.

He was b. in Waterbury, Conn., and res. there, in Clarinda, Ia., and Rome, N. Y. Captain of Co. A, 2d Regt. Conn. Vol.

1064 Edwin Coe Stocking and Bell S. Crawford had:

(1680) Edna Bell, b. September 24, 1882.

(1681) Le Roy, b. August 21, 1885.

Res. Mentor, O.

1067 Leila Bell Stocking and Lewis G. Call had:

(1682) Ralph Lee, b. March 9, 1893.

(1683) Edward Roy, b. September 3, 1894. d. young.

(1684) Jessie J., b. August 17, 1896.

(1685) Ada Elizabeth, b. December 14, 1898.

Lewis G. is in the fruit and packing business, Santa Cruz, Cal.

1068 Anna Goodell Stocking and Frank L. Call had:

(1686) Clyde Clifford, b. January 19, 1892.

(1687) Ethel May, b. May 17, 1899.

Frank S. is in the fruit and packing business, Santa Cruz, Cal.

1069 Herbert Norton Stocking and Jennie White had:
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1081 Adelaide Edwards Stocking and Dr. Edgar M. Beckley had:

- (1688A) Florence Daisy, b. June 2, 1880.
 - (1688B) Adelaide Mary, b. December 31, 1881.
 - (1688C) Kate Louisa, b. July 15, 1884.
 - (1688D) Helen Hughes, b. August 1, 1894.
 - (1688E) Eddie Stocking, b. January 19, 1900.
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1088 Charles F. Stocking and Sarah E. Wickham had:

- (1689) Nettie, b. November, 1876. d. young.
- (1690) Adaline, b. April, 1879. m. April 16, 1900, Winifred Robson.

Charles F. was b. at Olmstead, O., and d. at Bowling Green, O., April 14, 1898. He was a stationary engineer.

1091 Jos. Chester Stocking and Lydia A. Bradbrook had:

- (1691) Ernest J., b. June 8, 1877. m. September 20, 1896, Minnie Clark.
- (1692) Ethel, b. June 24, 1879.
- (1693) Myrll, b. August 16, 1884.

Joseph C. was a farmer. Sold out and rem. to Grand Rapids, O., in 1883; worked at the carpenter's trade for some time, then went into the grocery business, and at his death was in the department store of W. L. Milliner & Co., Toledo, O.

1092 Willis Marshall Stocking and Emma O. Rochty had:

- (1694) Perry Lyman, b. April 24, 1887.

Willis M. was b. at Dover, O.; now res. in Toledo. Was a farmer, but now motorman on the Toledo R. R. and Light Co.

1095 Julia Adelaide Stocking and Chas. A. Gould had:

- (1695) Henry Colton, b. November 22, 1869. m. August 27, 1890,
Lillian Augusta Rockwell. He d. December 16, 1892.
- (1696) Charles Moulton, b. September 7, 1873. m. September 30, 1896,
Lillie Bell, Bayside, L. I.
- (1697) William Stocking, b. September 4, 1875. m. April 20, 1898,
Ethel Blanche Sanders.
- (1698) Celia Adelaide, b. October 21, 1877. m. February 8, 1899,
George C. Milne.

Chas. A. Gould was b. in Batavia, N. Y., where he prepared for college, but business reverses of his father throwing him on his own resources, he rem. to Buffalo in 1869, became successively deputy postmaster, collector of customs, and manufacturer of iron and steel forgings. He organized the Gould (Railway) Coupler Co., the Gould Steel Co., of Anderson, Ind., and the Buffalo Investment Co. He is a member of the New York, Larchmont and Atlantic Yacht Clubs, commodore of the American Yacht Club, and a member of the Union League, Lawyers, and numerous other New York clubs; also of the Buffalo and Ellicott Clubs of Buffalo, the Chicago Club, and the Manufacturers' Club of Philadelphia. Res. in New York City, and has a summer home in Rye, N. Y.

1104 Adelbert Stocking and Kate Phelps had:

- (1699) Charles Roy, b. September 10, 1876. d. August 31, 1879.
- (1700) Edith Eleanor, b. May 22, 1888.

Adelbert was for fifteen years telegraph operator at Rolling Prairie, Wis. After his father's death, he, with his brother Ellworth, owned and occupied the paternal estate. In 1896 he rem. to Milwaukee, where he is in the insurance business.

1105 Frank Melville Stocking and Lillian A. Safford had:

- (1701) George Melville, b. August 14, 1879. m. October 10, 1900,
Georgia Bell Silverthorn.
- (1702) Adelbert Merle, b. June 29, 1881.
- (1703) Euphanie Belle, b. October 28, 1885.

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- (1704) Ralph Hudson, b. December 19, 1887.
 (1705) Eliza Ione, b. July 4, 1890. d. June 15, 1892.
 (1706) Ellsworth Bert, b. May 7, 1893. d. April 27, 1901.
 (1707) Alice Ruth, b. May 28, 1895.

Frank M. has a large and valuable fruit farm near Berlin, Wis., finely located, and exceptionally thrifty.

1106 Ellsworth Stocking and Dora D. Rich had:

- (1708) Marguerite Irene, b. December 25, 1897.
 (1709) Esther May, b. June, 1899.

Ellsworth was a farmer near Rush Lake, Wis. Rem. to Oshkosh, Wis., where he now resides.

1117 Alice Stocking and J. S. Carson had:

- (1710) Edward, b. 1886.
 Res. Bozeman, Gallatin Co., Montana.
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1118 Albert Stocking and Martha Snow had:

- (1711) George, b. May 23, 1888.
 (1712) Walter, b. August 1, 1890.
 (1713) Ethel, b. January 11, 1895.

Albert is a farmer. Res. Fulton, Cal.

1124 Mary Patty Stocking and John George Milburn had:

- (1714) John George, Jr., b. April 25, 1880.
 (1715) Devereux, b. June 14, 1881.
 (1716) Ralph, b. June 14, 1888.

Mary Patty and her hospitable home in Buffalo, N. Y., were brought into enviable, though painful, publicity, since to her and to her husband fell the lot and privilege of caring for President McKinley when he was shot by the anarchistic assassin during the exposition. The President was their guest at the time. Mr. Milburn is a lawyer.

1125 Nellie M. Stocking and Thomas Hayes had:

(1717) George Thomas.

1133 Eda A. Stocking and George W. Yeo had:

(1717A) Bessie M., b. September 11, 1886.

(1718) Elva M., b. December 6, 1888.

(1719) Alfred W., b. October 4, 1893.

(1720) Alice L., b. November 28, 1896.

(1721) Nellie L., b. August 24, 1899.

1134 Milton D. Stocking and Sara E. Holmes had:

(1722) Myrtle H., b. May 16, 1895.

(1723) Iva R., b. April 16, 1897.

Milton D. is a farmer.

1135 Duane C. Stocking and Mary A. Smith had:

(1724) Lewis C., b. January 28, 1887.

(1725) Hazel E., b. August 4, 1889.

(1726) Elsie, b. April 24, 1892.

(1727) Spencer D., b. September 26, 1897.

(1728) Pollie, b. April 30, 1901.

Wife Mary d. April 30, 1901, and Duane m. 2d, January 1, 1902, Nettie M. Yates. Is in the business of the New York Life Insurance Company. Res. Lindenwood, Ill.

1136 Horace Stocking and Alma Weeks had:

(1729) Dexter W., m. Esther Holmes.

(1730) Elmer D., m. Zillah Holmes.

Horace is a dealer in grain and agricultural implements in Lindenwood, Ill.

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1138 George E. Stocking and Ellen Stanton had:

(1732) Elizabeth, b. September 15, 1889.

(1733) Lydia L., b. December 3, 1891.

(1734) Helene, b. October 18, 1897.

George E. is in the banking business, Rochelle, Ill.

1140 Joseph Ogylvie Stocking and Ellen De Neen had:

(1735) George Erwin, b. March 1, 1878. A millwright and electric constructor.

(1736) Clifford Dwight, b. November 6, 1879. A shipwright.

(1737) Edwin Logan, b. August 22, 1882. Manager of paper company.

(1738) Pansy Ogylvie, b. April 6, 1884.

(1739) Mary Ellen, b. November 19, 1885.

Joseph O. was b. in Tecumseh, Mich.; rem. 1857 to Dowagiac, where he attended the public schools. The state of his father's health compelled him to leave school at the early age of thirteen, and to assist in the maintenance of the family. When a mere boy he became skilled in the use of carpenters' tools, and he has been a life-long builder. At twenty years of age he rem. from Michigan to Texas, and helped build the first railroad that entered the city of Austin. Three years later, he returned to Michigan, drifted over to Indiana, married an orphan and school teacher who had been partly raised by the Erwins, a Quaker family of Richmond, Ind., and the young couple began their married life on a tract of four hundred acres of swamp and marsh land, out of which they made, by ten years' hard and intelligent labor, an excellent farm for the owners. Ellen had a fine sense of humor, and when a polite clerk once asked her if he might not show her his fine assortment of children's stockings, she replied that she raised her own on the farm. In 1877-78 they rem. to San Diego, and thence to Escondido, Cal., and finally to Oakland, where they now reside, an unbroken and a happy family.

1141 Charles Henry Stocking and Ada Adella Sheldon had:

(1740) C. Frank, b. August, 1879.

(1741) William E., b. May, 1891.

(1742) Oliver P., b. December, 1893.



THE FAMILY OF JOSEPH OGYVIE AND ELLEN (DE NEEN) STOCKING.



EDWARD EVERETT CORNWALL, M. D

Chas. Henry was b. in Almena, Mich.; rem. in 1857 to Dowagiac, where he attended the public schools, afterwards rem. to Benton Harbor, and in 1887 to California; thence to Michigan in 1895, and now res. in Mishawaka, Ind., with all his children.

1148 Ethel Stocking and Rev. William F. Parsons had:

(1743) Paul Stephen, b. July 18, 1896.

Res. Troy, N. Y. Rev. Mr. Parsons is an Episcopal clergyman.

1149 Mabel Stocking and Francis Wessels had:

(1744) Theodore Francis, b. May 31, 1892.

(1745) Mabel, b. July 22, 1893.

(1746) Robert Daniel, b. July 27, 1895.

(1747) Virginia, b. June 15, 1899.

Res. Portland, Conn. Mr. Wessels d. July 12, 1902, and his widow and children live at the old homestead built by Eber Stocking after his return from the Revolutionary War.

1151 Mary Ann West and Nathaniel O. Cornwall had:

(1748) Julia Ann, b. July 21, 1861. d. young.

(1749) Eloise Maria, b. June 9, 1862.

(1750) Edward Everett, b. July 2, 1866.

Nathaniel Cornwall, M. A., M. D., res. in Portland, Conn., and Buenos Ayres, South America. His son, Edward Everett, Ph. B., M. D., is a practicing physician of repute in Brooklyn, N. Y., a careful student, and enthusiastic genealogist, and a prominent member of the University and other clubs. He published the first pamphlet ever issued concerning the Stocking family.

1155 Mary Stocking and Joseph S. Marquis had:

(1751) Frank H., b. June 5, 1868. m. September 14, 1892, Belle Adrian.

(1752) Frederick S., b. September 29, 1873.

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Mary is an artist of recognized merit, her specialty being china and porcelain decoration. She has been honored with appointments as head of the Art Departments of Wooster University, Ohio., and Lewis Academy, Wichita, Kan., both of which she declined. Mr. Marquis is in the piano business, Mansfield, O. His son Frank is assistant cashier of the Mansfield Savings Bank, and has children, Edith A., William T., and Joseph H. Son Frederick W. was graduated from the Law Department of the Ohio State University in 1900. Served in the Spanish War in Cuba, and is now Major 8th Regt. O. N. G.

1157 Sidney Davis Stocking and Hannah Maria Melville had:

- (1752A) Caroline Melville, b. 1858. d. young.
 - (1752B) Harry Melville, b. January 11, 1860. m. October 31, 1893,
Ida Emily Vroom.
 - (1752C) Amy Charlotte, b. December 18, 1862. m. October 7, 1886
Alpheus C. Stocking.
 - (1752D) Addie Amelia, b. September, 1864. d. young.
 - (1752E) Nellie Melville, b. September, 1864. d. young.
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1158 Charles Henry Stocking and Elizabeth F. King had:

- (1753) Charlotte Elizabeth, b. December 1, 1861. m. Fred. M.
Wheeler.
- (1754) Kate Andrews, b. August 29, 1863. d. July 12, 1902.
- (1755) James Frank, b. October 13, 1864. unm.
- (1756) Margerette. d. young.

Res. Rhinebeck, N. Y., Washington, D. C., and now Montvale, N. J.
Chas. H. is a certified public accountant in Pine St., New York City.

1159 William Alonzo Stocking and Serinda Delanoy had:

- (1757) Kate, b. August 2, 1864.
- (1758) Lizzie Cocks, b. April 6, 1866. m. April 29, 1896, Rev. Arthur
H. Scudder.



THE WESSELL CHILDREN.

- (1759) Davis Delanoy, b. March 8, 1869.
- (1760) William Alonzo, Jr., b. May 13, 1872. m. June 27, 1900, Harriet M. Bliss.
- (1761) Marvin Sidney, b. November 10, 1874. m. September 24, 1901, Elizabeth Pearl Cranston.
- (1762) James Magee, b. July 31, 1878. m. March 20, 1902, Miss Sophie Dorothy Clark.
- (1763) William Foskay, b. January 20, 1882.

William A. was b. in Winsted, Conn., and has res. in Sing Sing, N. Y., and Linnsbury, Conn. (Weatogue). He is a farmer.

1163 Jessie B. Stocking and William A. Barsenden had:

- (1764) Hazel M., b. March 7, 1886.
- (1765) Raymond S., b. September 16, 1890.
- (1766) William A., Jr., b. May 9, 1892.
- (1767) Gladys P., b. March 27, 1898.

Res. Sag Harbor, N. Y.

1169 Alpheus Charles Stocking and Amy C. Stocking had:

- (1768) Marjery Adelaide, b. September 20, 1888.
- (1769) Harvey Chase, b. January 22, 1891.
- (1770) Amy Gwendolyn, b. May 30, 1894.
- (1771) Willard Yates, b. August 12, 1901.

Alpheus is on the editorial staff of the New York Commercial Advertiser. Amy is an artist. Res. Prohibition Park, Staten Island, N. Y.

1170 Davis Artemus Stocking and Mary Bourbridge had:

- (1772) George Artemus, b. 1882, in Brooklyn, N. Y.
- (1773) Walter Harvey, b. 1891, in St. Louis, Mo.
- (1774) Helen Francis, b. 1892, in Chicago.
- (1775) Maude Ella, b. 1894, in Chicago.

Davis A. is a consulting lawyer. Res. Chicago.

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1178 Ella Gertrude Stocking and Ray J. Case had:

(1776) Helen R., b. —.

Res. removed from Dassel, Minn., to Starbuck, Minn., July, 1898, where Mr. Case has a thriving drug business in partnership with his brother-in-law, Louis B. Stocking.

1179 Frank D. Stocking and Ella F. Ives had:

(1777) Warren Wilson, b. December 25, 1890.

(1778) Amy Frances, b. June 2, 1893.

Res. Glencoe, Minn., where Frank D. has for nine years been auditor of McLeod County.

1180 Eva Julia Stocking and Otto A. Kohler had:

(1779) Karl Roth, b. May 9, 1892.

(1780) Gretchen Josephine, b. November 16, 1893.

Res. Hutchinson, Minn., where Mr. Kohler carries on the business of a department store.

1191 Stella Stocking and Ethan Allyn had:

(1181) Leon.

(1182) Louis.

(1183) Clarence.

(1184) Edna.

Res. Rochester, N. Y., where Mr. Allyn is a large owner of real estate.

1194 Clifford A. Stocking and — — — had:

(1785) Clifford J.

(1786) Edith M.

1225 Halsey Moses Stocking and Ada Bell Dans had:

(1787) Harold Dans, b. August 20, 1900

(1788) Ralph Silsbee, b. November 20, 1901. d. young.

1226 Louis Daniel Stocking and Lucy E. Yale had:

(1789) Kenneth Lyell, b. August 13, 1902.

1227 Mara Rosalie Stocking and Charles C. Hunt had:

(1790) George Cyrus, b. December 21, 1899.

(1791) Leonard Loomis, b. November 24, 1901.

1276 Sarah Cornelia Stocking and Fred J. Enderling
had:

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(1794) Edward. Res. Prattsville, N. Y.

1277 Jacob Stocking and Katherine Brandon had:

(1795) Sylvester. m. Two sons and three daughters. Res. Bloomfield, Neb.

(1796) Augusta. m. Two children. Deposit, N. Y.

(1797)

Res. Deposit, N. Y.; rem. to McClure, where Katherine d. and Jacob m. again.

1278 George H. Stocking and Mary Barnum had:

(1798) Arthur. m. Two daughters. Res. Grinnell, Ia.

(1799) Sarah. m. Frank Orcutt, Tama, Ia.

1279 Peter A. Stocking and Julia Needham Fox had:

(1800) Lana. Res. California.

Peter A. res. in Tracy, Cal., San Joaquin Co. Served three years in the Civil War.

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1280 William Stocking and Mary Roberts had:

- (1801) Lana Olive, b. April 3, 1865. d. young.
- (1802) Cora Elizabeth, b. August 3, 1866. m. C. A. Reigle.
- (1803) Sylvester James, b. August 25, 1873. m. January 20, 1895,
Flora Weaver.
- (1804) Sarah Annetta, b. March 22, 1883.

William served three years in the Civil War. Res. Sterling, Ill.

1282 James J. Stocking and Emma Von Valkenburg had:

- (1805) Libbie V., b. August 3, 1870. d. November, 1888.
- (1806) Charlie, b. August 27, 1872. d. young.

Res. Lexington, N. Y. Is a grocer and provision dealer.

1291 Maria S. Newcomb and Edward B. Taylor had:

- (1807) Nellie Bancroft, b. June 6, 1865. m. June 24, 1891, John M. Wright. Res. Detroit.
- (1808) Edith Newcomb, b. March 13, 1867. m. November 28, 1888,
George D. Papson. Res. Washington, D. C.
- (1809) John Wright, b. August 4, 1871. m. June 27, 1800, May Carpenter. Lumber merchant, vestryman of Grace Church,
prominent Free Mason, Port Huron, Mich.
- (1810) Edward Bancroft, b. May 10, 1873. m. February 11, 1902,
Patricia Daney. Superintendent of the Detroit, Rochester,
Romeo, Lake Orion & Flint Intersuburban Railway.
- (1811) Paul Gilbert, b. April 10, 1875.

Maria S. Newcomb was b. at Strykersville, N. Y. Edward B. Taylor served in the Civil War, lost his left arm at the elbow in the battle of Ball's Bluff; was the principal man in building the Chicago & Grand Trunk Railway, and its superintendent for nine years. Now adjutant of Soldiers' Home, Grand Rapids.

1294 Harriet Ellen Stocking and Daniel Bower had:

- (1812) Carrie Lucetta, b. March 12, 1863.
- (1813) Wells Stocking, b. April 25, 1867.



ALBION MORRELLIS STOCKING.

- (1814) Ida May, b. June 30, 1870.
(1815) Alva Milo, b. March 11, 1872.
(1816) Bertha Angie, b. June 23, 1876.
(1817) Jennie Alice, b. September 5, 1878.

Res. Thompson, O., and Bower, Neb.

1295 George Wells Stocking

was b. in Madison, O., and m. in Fairbury, Neb.; enlisted as private in Co. B, 29th Regt. Ohio Vol. Infantry; was with Sherman in his "march to the sea," and was honorably discharged, June 5, 1865. He is the manager of the Painesville (O.) Veneer Co. Res. Geneva, O.

1296 Arthur Newell Stocking and Rose Knight had:

- (1818) Blanche, b. July 25, 1889.
(1819) George Wells, b. June 15, 1890.
(1820) Florence, b. October 18, 1892.

Arthur Newell res. on the home farm in Madison, O., and also plies the craft of a carpenter.

1297 Mavret Almeda Stocking and David H. West had no children.

Mavret Almeda was b. in Burton, O. Her intellectual precocity was evidenced by the fact of her becoming a teacher at the age of fourteen, a profession which she followed for twelve years, with intermittent periods of study in seminary. She is a member of the Free Will Baptist Church, and a woman of wide and helpful influence, especially among young people. Her home is in Madison, O.

1298 Albion Morrellis Stocking and Alice M. Leonard had no children.

Albion Morrellis was b. in Madison, O., and received a good education in the public schools and at Geauga Seminary. He served in the Civil War,

Co. C, 177th Regt. Ohio Vol. Infantry. After a severe service he was sent to the hospital, Troy, N. Y., from which he was discharged in June, 1865. He subsequently taught school for two years, when he was associated with his father in the building and contracting business. At the time of his death he was post-master, justice of the peace, and superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school in Thompson, O., where he d. November 22, 1893.

1302 Abert Masa Stocking and Elmyra Hausch had:

(1821) Milan Hausch, b. July 28, 1887.

(1822) John Lee, b. March 24, 1890.

Abert Masa was b. in Booneville, Ind., educated in the public and select schools, and at Madison Seminary. He worked with his father at the carpenter's trade; rem. to Rochester, Minn., and was clerk in his uncle's store, from which place he went to South Dakota, where he became one of the founders of the town of Huron, where he was a builder. Returning to Ohio, he carried on the same business in Painesville and Cleveland, and is now a farmer near Footville, O. Elmyra is the dau. of John and Elizabeth (Quayle) Hausch, b. at Thompson, O.

1303 Arthy Mayo Stocking and Rose E. Shepard had:

(1823) Alice May, b. December 29, 1878.

(1824) Roy William, b. November 6, 1881. Student at Hedding College, preparing for ministry of M. E. Church.

(1825) Junia Pearl, b. October 28, 1890. d. young.

(1826) Amer Mayo, b. March 11, 1895.

(1827) Arthy Wallace, b. September 10, 1901.

Arthy Mayo is a farmer; has res. in Madison, O., in Minnesota, and at Fife Lake, Mich. His present home is near Good Hope, Ill. He is a man of fine character, and an active member of the M. E. Church. Rose E. is the dau. of Dr. Newton Shepard, b. January 29, 1858.

1304 Rev. Amer Mills Stocking and Adelia L. Stickle had:

(1828) Sarah Psyche, b. November 20, 1894.



REV. AMER MILLS STOCKING.

Rev. Amer Mills was b. in Chester, O., educated in the public and select schools, at Madison Seminary, and at the National Normal University, Lebanon, O., from the classical department of which he graduated in 1884. He has taught in the public schools of Ohio, in the Western Normal College, Bushnell, Ill., in Chaddock College, Quincy, Ill., and in Hedding College, Abingdon, Ill. In 1885 he joined the Central Illinois Conference of the M. E. Church, adding to his work as an educator that of pastor of the churches successively at Burnside, Good Hope, Wataga, Moline, Geneseo, Aledo, and Watseka. To his varied gifts and attainments he adds that of an author, having published a volume of graceful and clever poems, entitled, "Paraphrases and Bible Stories in Verse," and he is now engaged in the production of another book of poems to be entitled, "Verses for Children and Child Lovers." It may be said of him in truth that he is "in labors abundant," wielding a facile pen, a scholar of chaste culture, and characterized by a modesty that adorns his work with its crowning grace. He was recently appointed to the charge of the Hale Memorial M. E. Church in Peoria, Ill.

Adelia L. is the dau. of Abram B. and Sarah (Metcalf) Stickle, b. September 23, 1864. She is a woman of beautiful character and varied accomplishments; a graduate of Macomb (Ill.) Normal School, and of Keokuk (Ia.) Medical College.

1305 Chauncey Hopkins Talcott Stocking and Jessie Arthur had:

(1829) William Arthur, b. May 16, 1882. Student at Case School, Cleveland, O.

(1830) Mavret Elsie, b. September, 1888.

(1831) Alice Elizabeth, b. January 25, 1894.

Chauncey H. T. followed the carpenter's trade for several years, and in 1882 rem. to Painesville, O., becoming a contractor in 1887, and the operator of a planing-mill, 1890-92. He is now secretary-treasurer and consulting manager of the Painesville Veneer Works, county commissioner, a member and trustee of the Congregational Church, and a director of the Y. M. C. Association, positions which evidence a lively interest in public and religious affairs, as well as the high esteem in which he is held by his fellow-citizens.

Jessie is the dau. of William Arthur, b. July 25, 1857.

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1306 Capt. William Wallace Stocking and Fannie Benjamin had:

(1832) Benjamin, b. November 9, 1898.

Capt. Wm. followed the carpenter's trade, working, like so many of his brothers, with his father. Removing to Painesville, he became foreman for his brother Chauncey, and later on, in partnership with John Austin, bought a saw-mill and lumber yard in Madison, where he carried on a very successful business. He subsequently entered the service of a Cleveland lumber firm, after which he went into the grocery business in Madison. He is now a boot and shoe merchant in Geneva, O., a member of the Congregational Church, township clerk, and a public-spirited citizen of unusual versatility in business affairs. He m. 1st Evelyn P. Gill who d. January 16, 1889.

1307 Chester Lee Stocking

is a carpenter and stationary engineer, and lives near Macomb, Ill. He is a member of the M. E. Church, and unmarried.

1308 Angeline Stocking and Mortimer H. Ireland had:

(1832A) James, b. —, 1861.

(1833) Charles, b. —, 1866.

(1834) George Bosworth, b. —, 1869.

1310 Francis Asbury Stocking and Ella Adelaide Froman had:

(1835) Frederick Asbury, b. February 3, 1874. m. June 14, 1894, Ann Daub.

1311 George Bosworth Stocking and Lulu Lathrop had:

(1836) Maud Louise, b. September 19, 1873.

(1837) Mark, b. May 24, 1878. d. young.

(1838) Mary Bosworth, b. April 20, 1880.

Lulu d. February 13, 1883, and George B. m. 2d,
June 3, 1887, Mary Elizabeth Pratt, they had:

(1839) George Bosworth, Jr., b. May 14, 1888.

(1840) Benjamin Pratt, b. December 22, 1889.

George Bosworth was b. in Wesleyville, Erie Co., Pennsylvania. He was educated in the high school, Ohnstead Co., Minnesota; was apprenticed in 1869 to the watchmaker's trade, and in 1873 embarked in business for himself, continuing in it until the present time. In 1886 he rem. from Rochester to Faribault, Minn., and two years later to Tacoma, Wash., then a territory, living there until 1896, when he sold out his watch and jewelry business, and engaged in gold mining. He was one of the founders of the Gold Camp of Republic, Wash., to which township he rem. his family in 1899. He was chairman of the first board of school directors, is identified with numerous mining enterprises, is general manager of the Eureka Mercantile Co., an enthusiastic member of the Episcopal Church, and is a licensed lay reader in the same.

His first wife was dau. of Junius and Louisa Lathrop, of Rochester, Minn. His second and present wife is the only dau. of Benjamin and Mary C. Pratt, b. at Leroy, N. Y., January 28, 1853.

1313 Alvin Clark Stocking and Mary Hollis had:

(1841) Hattie, b. July 5, 1882.

(1842) Elsie, b. September 10, 1884.

(1843) Alda, b. October 10, 1886.

Res. Evansville, Ind.

1314 Mary I. Stocking and John W. Rasure had:

(1844) Effie, b. July 19, 1873. m. Thos. Watson, Evansville.

(1845) Burt F., b. May 1, 1875.

(1846) Carl J., b. November 25, 1876.

(1847) Shirley D., b. March 22, 1878.

(1448) Jasper L., b. April 22, 1882.

(1849) W. Frank, b. October 27, 1883.

(1850) Bessie C., b. January 9, 1887.

(1851) Monto A., b. July 28, 1890.

(1852) Wm. Harrison, b. March 9, 1892.

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1316 Jasper Lewis Stocking and Alvena Gusta Weihe
had:

(1853) Lorena, b. October 21, 1895.

Jasper L. was born and reared on a farm near Boonville, Ind.; was educated in the public schools, licensed as a teacher at the age of eighteen, taught for seven years, and afterward graduated from the Indiana State Normal School. Since 1887 he has been engaged in compiling local histories in various States, having completed forty-six volumes of history and biography. During the greater part of this time he has resided in Evansville, Ind. Wife Alvena Gusta is the dau. of Henry and Caroline (Swartz) Weihe, b. in Newburg, Ind., October 14, 1866. They are both members of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

1317 Ella Stocking and Charles U. Rucker had:

(1854) Stella, b. June 4, 1885.

(1855) Eva, b. August 21, 1888.

(1856) Gracie, b. December 11, 1891.

(1857) Bertha, b. July 21, 1894.

(1858) Dora, b. June 14, 1899.

Res. Puxico, Mo. Mr. Rucker was b. in Warrick Co., Indiana, October 9, 1862.

1318 Minnie Stocking and James Bohannon had:

(1859) Almon K., b. February 3, 1890.

(1860) Mabel W., b. September 17, 1894.

(1861) Alice M., b. March 19, 1899.

Res. Booneville, Ind., in which State Mr. Bohannon was b. January 9, 1868.

1320 Jabin Bion Stocking and Carrie Lucetta Bower
had:

(1862) Angeline May, b. May 10, 1881.

(1863) Gertrude Lilian, b. September 30, 1883.

Jabin Bion has res. in Madison, O., Bower, Neb., and now res. in Lansing, Mich.

1324 Horace Grant Stocking and Sarah Edna Long had:

- (1864) William Edward, b. May 19, 1894.
- (1865) Clyde Leonard, b. August 6, 1895.
- (1866) Glenn Clifford, b. November 19, 1896. d. young.
- (1867) Max Vernon, b. October 5, 1899.

Horace Grant has taught school; is at present a deputy for The Modern Woodmen of America. Res. Lakin, Kan.

1326 Henry James Stocking, Jr., and Jennie R. Ward had:

- (1868) George Ward, b. June 13, 1888. A student.
- (1869) William Kenneth, b. October 4, 1894. A student.

Henry James was b. in Worcester, Mass., July 9, 1852. His father having d. in 1854, he was sent to his uncle, Terry Stocking, a locomotive engineer in Vermont. When eight years old he was sent West to live with another uncle, H. P. Bennett, of St. Cloud, Minn. When thirteen years old, he began to make his own way in the world, and at an early age became a locomotive engineer on the Northwestern system, serving several years in that capacity, and has been in the passenger department for the past twenty years. He is a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and a Free and Accepted Mason of high degree. Jennie R. was from Grand Rapids, Wis. Res. St. Paul, Minn.

1331 Walter Stocking and Amelia A. Kirby had:

- (1870) Kirby Stocking. d. young.

Res. Amenia, N. Y. Amelia was b. October 19, 1836, and d. July 11, 1866. Walter was from Pine Plains, N. Y.

1336 Frank B. Stocking and Louisa Hosier had:

- (1871) Minnie F., b. July 8, 1878.
- (1872) Fred. R., b. September 16, 1880.

(1873) Mary J., b. April 2, 1892.

(1874) Nellie G., b. August 15, 1896.

(1875) Alice M., b. November 19, 1899.

Frank B. res. at Fishkill Landing, N. Y., and is trainman on the N. Y. & N. Haven R. R.

1330 Charles M. Stocking and Myra L. Hinkley had:

(1876) Homer, b. June 26, 1876. m. February 19, 1898, Grayce E. Knight.

(1877) Florence E., b. July 12, 1882.

(1878) Grace G., b. January 25, 1886.

Charles M. was b. in Dalton, Mass.; rem. to Michigan, and thence to Minneapolis, Minn., December, 1887. He is superintendent of a hotel, and of the Union City Mission. Myra L. was b. in Highland, Mich., November 22, 1848.

1345^F Lafayette T. Stocking and Kate M. Guffin had:

(1879) Lena K., b. July 29, 1880.

Lafayette is a lawyer; res. in Morrison, Ill. He was b. in Pine Plains, N. Y.; rem. to Prophetstown in 1858, thence to Morrison in 1865; graduated from Morrison High School in 1875, and from the Albany (N. Y.) Law School in 1877. He entered the law office of Judge F. O. Ramsey, of the Circuit Court of the 14th Judicial District of Illinois, remaining there until 1886, when he rem. to Lincoln, Neb.; returned to Morrison, Ill., November, 1887, where he now practices law with marked success, many of his cases being important ones. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity and a Knight Templar.

Wife Kate is the dau. of Thos. Guffin, merchant, of Morrison. Dau. Lena was graduated from Morrison High School in 1899. Studied at the University of Illinois.

1358 Leila Stocking and Henry D. Blossom had:

(1880) Dudley S., b. March, 1879.

(1881) Carl Woodruff, b. April 26, 1881.

(1882) Mary Sheldon, b. December 6, 1883. d. 1886.

(1883) Pelham H., b. September 30, 1886.

(1884) John Theodore, b. May 28, 1891.

Res. Cleveland, O., where Leila d. April 3, 1892.

1369 Eugenie Eloise Stocking and A. Comeaux had:

(1885) Denison S., d. young.

(1886) Marie Eloise, b. August 15, 1877.

Res. St. Francisville, La.

1370 Eliska Delphine Stocking and Dr. William C. Bates had:

(1887) Infant, d. young.

(1888) Eliska Dell, b. August 8, 1902.

Res. St. Francisville, La.

1404 Schuyler Eugene Stocking and Mary Himes had

(1889) Luna May, b. March 19, 1887.

(1890) Jennie, b. June 2, 1889.

(1891) Fred, b. May 28, 1891.

(1892) Norman, b. January 14, 1895.

Res. Lawton, Mich.

1405 Mary Eugenie Stocking and Charles M. Wilhelm had:

(1893) Frank Edward, b. September 25, 1883.

(1894) Esther E., b. August 20, 1897.

(1895) Charles Hyde, b. July 14, 1899. d. young.

Mary E. is a prominent social and musical figure in Omaha, Neb. She is a pupil of Cappiani, and has achieved popular success as a soprano soloist.

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1407 Fred Carl Stocking and Mabel M. Miller had:

(1896) Sabura Stebbins, b. September 19, 1895.

(1897) George Lane, b. March 6, 1897.

(1898) Charles Wilhelm, b. June 5, 1900.

Fred. C. is in the furniture business in Milwaukee, Wis.

1424 Edward Servillius Stocking and Nellie M. Downs
had:

(1899) Edith M., b. October 16, 1876. d. January 29, 1881.

(1900) Edward G., b. October 18, 1880. d. young.

(1901) Bessie M., b. April 24, 1883.

Res. Bristol, Conn.

1426 Charles Selah Stocking and Ella Bunnell had no
children. She d. Aug. 10, 1892, and Charles
S. m. 2d, June 15, 1893, Alice M. Purdy.
They had:

(1902) Rachel L., b. September 23, 1894.

(1903) Marion L., b. May 29, 1897.

(1904) Leona P., b. November 12, 1901.

Res. Bristol, Conn.

1431 Rev. Charles M. Belden and Sarah White had:

(1905) Susan White, b. November 8, 1889.

(1906) Russell Marvin, b. July 12, 1891. d. young.

(1907) Margaret Lloyd, b. March 16, 1894.

(1908) Elsa Marvin, b. May 13, 1897.

Rev. Mr. Belden was b. in White Plains, N. Y.; student at Trinity College, 1876-78; graduated from Columbia College, 1880, with honors; master in St. Paul's School, Concord, N. Y., 1881 and '82; graduated from General Theological Seminary, 1884; ordained deacon in the P. E. Church, 1884; priest, 1885; curate at St. James' Church, New York City, 1885-86; rector of St. George's Church, Astoria, N. Y., 1887-1902; rector of Emmanuel Church, Geneva, Switzerland, at present time.

1432 John Belden and Frances Fitch had:

(1909) Thomas Marvin, b. January 19, 1891.

(1910) Robert Fitch, b. April 6, 1894.

(1911) Mary Sherman, b. July 24, 1897.

Res. Danbury, Conn., where John is in the hat manufacturing business.

1435 Julia Holcomb Stocking and R. Wainwright Bacot had:

(1911A) Helen Wainwright, b. December 21, 1893. d. young.

Julia Holcomb was b. in Ansonia, Conn.; rem. successively to Rochester, N. Y., Chicago, and Detroit, Mich. She was a pupil at the Detroit Female Seminary, and finished her school life at St. Mary's School, New York City, after which she spent a year of travel in Europe, making a second tour in 1895.

R. Wainwright Bacot is the son of the late Richard Cochran and Mary (Gilchrist) Bacot. He was formerly teller of the Bank of the Republic, New York City, and is now connected with the City Water Works Co., Utica, N. Y., where this family now reside.

1451 Rev. George B. Stocking and Cornelia Ellis had:

(1911B) Mildred S., b. 1860. m. June, 1882, Charles H. Osband.

(1911C) Hiram Ellis, b. October, 1864. d. March, 1893. unm.

Rev. George B. was educated in the public schools of Fabin, and at the Cortland Academy, Rensselaer, N. Y., and was graduated from Lombard University, Galesburg, Ill. He entered the ministry of the Universalist Church, and has won distinction as a preacher, and the regard and love of his townspeople. This is especially true of the Galesburg people, among whom, without distinction of creed, he was exceedingly popular. He now resides in Lansing, Mich. Cornelia Ellis was a woman of superior character and accomplishments. She d. January 20, 1902.

1454 Mariette Stocking and John Wesley Knaggs had:

(1912) Walter Wesley, b. August 7, 1871. m. May 3, 1898, Mabel A. Bernard. Res. Detroit, Mich. A traveling salesman.

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- (1913) Roy Stocking, b. September 14, 1873. m. October 5, 1897, Mary Allen Whitney. Res. New York City. Roy is head of the firm of Knaggs & Co., printers and engravers.
- (1914) Duneis Camilla, b. April 6, 1875. m. March 27, 1901, Henry E. McLennan. Res. Bay City, Mich.
- (1915) Mary Stocking, b. August 2, 1876. Graduated B. S. from the Michigan Agricultural College in 1901; teacher of domestic science in Superior, Wis., High School.

Mariette Stocking Knaggs res. in Bay City, Mich. Her ability as a writer, fluency as a speaker, and her organizing and administrative ability have placed her in the forefront of intellectual, reform, and philanthropic movements. She is the first woman to be honored with membership in the board of education in Bay City; was president of the Equal Suffrage Association for four years, under the leadership of Susan B. Anthony; was for several years a member of the board of the Home of Industry for Discharged Prisoners at Detroit, by appointment of Governor Bliss, and member of the Board of Guardians of the State Industrial Home for Girls at Adrian, Mich.

John W. Knaggs was b. in Raisinville, Mich., August 28, 1839. He is in the fire insurance business in Bay City, Mich.

1456 Dimcis Tryphena Stocking and Charles Herbert Denison had no children.

She was b. in New York State, m. in Bay City, Mich., res. in Philadelphia and Boston, and finally rem., in 1880, to New York City, where she now resides. She became a member of Sorosis—the first woman's club—in 1886, and after holding several offices of prominence, was made first vice-president in 1897, and president in 1898, which office she still holds. At the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Milwaukee in 1900, she was elected first vice-president of the organization, and after serving a year as acting president, was elected president at Los Angeles, Cal., in 1902.

Mrs. Denison is a woman of unusual executive ability, indefatigable energy, and clear judgment. Her literary ability embraces the fields of poetry and prose. In the former, her touch is light and graceful; in the latter, she is forceful and logical. She is also vice-president of the International Sunshine Society, vice-president of the Patria Club of New York, one of the original committee of one hundred of the Association opposed



MRS DIMEIS TRYPHENA STOCKING DENISON

to the extension of woman suffrage, and a member of its board, and one of the Council of the Society for the Protection of Italian Immigrants.

Mr. Denison is a descendant of Capt. George Denison, famous in colonial times, and on the maternal side, of Elder Brewster of the Mayflower. He was educated at the University of Michigan, leaving his studies in 1861 to enlist for service in the Civil War. Returning to educational life, he was graduated from both the collegiate and law departments, and now practices in New York City. His oratorical excellence has won for him the name of "the silver-tongued." He has been an active member of the Republican Club of New York City ever since its organization; was for several years chairman of the Committee on National Affairs, and vice-president in 1902 of the same club.

1461A Frederich Sheaf Wheat and Maria Abigail Montague had:

- (1918) Willette Eleanor, b. April 4, 1880.
- (1919) Frederich Sheaf, b. June 11, 1882.
- (1920) Charles Montague, b. June 11, 1882.
- (1921) Mary Amelia, b. August 11, 1884.
- (1922) William Alister, b. March 17, 1888.
- (1923) Watson Selden, b. January 4, 1894.

Mr. Fred. S. Wheat is a lawyer, res. in Caro, Mich.

1464 Mary J. Stocking and Charles Veatch had:

- (1924) Corinne, b. 1885.
- James S., b. 1887.
- Walter, b. 1889.

Res. St. Louis, Mo., where Mr. Veatch conducts a real estate business.

1467 Sidney W. Stocking, Jr., and Effie Stiles had:

- (1925) Irvin, b. 1892.

Effie d. in 1892 and Sidney m. 2d Jennie Neal,
they had:

- (1926) Son, D. S., b. 1897.

1472 Hugh L. Stocking and Mary Fritch had:

(1927) James, b. —.

Res. Washington, Pa.

1474 Ella Maude Stocking and John W. Miller had:

(1928) Dorothy, b. —.

Mr. Miller res. in Pittsburg. Ella M. d. there.

1490 Robert McDowell Stocking and Imogen Storrs had:

(1929) Frank S., b. November 20, 1874. Ticket and S. S. agent at Quebec.

(1929A) Robert E., b. February 16, 1883.

Res. Quebec, Canada. Robert McD. was for many years ticket agent for railway and S. S. lines. During President Cleveland's administration, he was U. S. Vice Consul at Quebec. He also owned a large hotel at Cocuma, Canada. He d. at Quebec, November 20, 1900. Imogen was b. and m. in Canton, N. Y. Sons Frank and Robert have succeeded their father in the ticket and passenger business, and the first is also Vice Consul.

1496 Mary Frances Stocking and John Widdicomb had:

(1930) George, b. October 3, 1870. d. young.

(1931) Mary Ella, b. September 24, 1872. m. February 22, 1902, Frederick C. Lee.

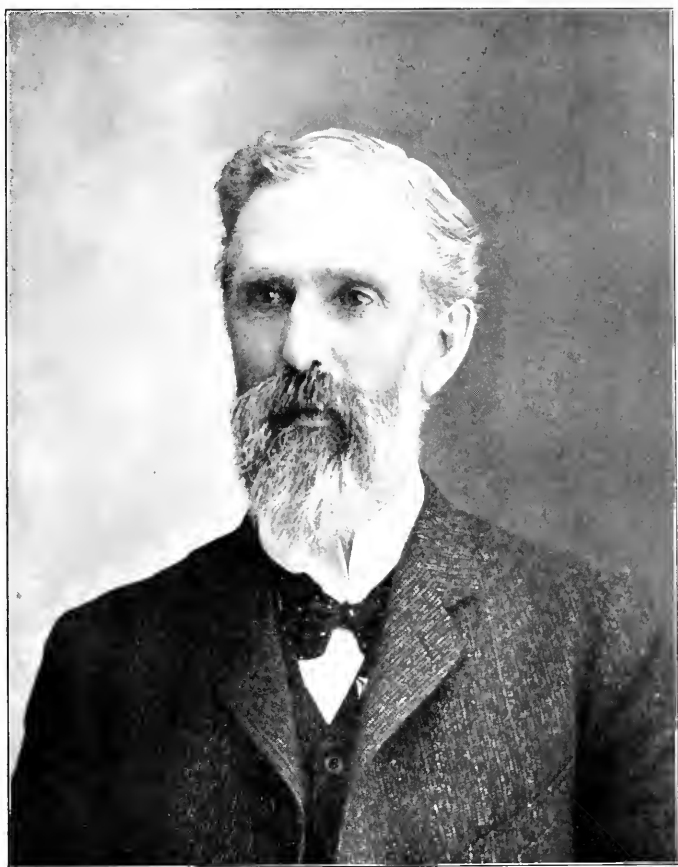
(1932) Harry, b. August 3, 1876.

(1933) Alida, b. October 22, 1878. m. June 4, 1901, Charles Hicks Crane.

Res. Grand Rapids, Mich.

1502 Myron Theophilus Stocking and Elizabeth Thompson had:

(1934) Rev. Jay Thomas, b. April 19, 1870. Graduate Amherst College, 1895; Yale Divinity School, 1901; assistant pastor Church of the Redeemer, New Haven, Conn.



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- (1935) De Witt Bryant, b. October 27, 1871. m. Myrtle Hawkins. R. R. express agent, Clarendon, Tex.
- (1936) Jerome Branch, b. November 11, 1873. Graduated Michigan Law School, 1899. Res. Buffalo.
- (1937) Venila H., b. March 10, 1875. m. June 3, 1902, L. C. Hifton-stall. Graduate Potsdam Normal School, New York. Res. New Rochelle.
- (1938) Sylvan Morgan, b. March 3, 1877. Graduate Amherst College, 1902.
- (1939) Emma Leone, b. September 22, 1878. Graduate Potsdam Normal School, 1902.
- (1940) Ralph Earl, b. October 31, 1885.

Myron Thompson was b. in Lisbon, N. Y., educated in the common schools, and at the Ogdensburg (N. Y.) Academy, where he fitted himself for the profession of a teacher. He taught in Lisbon, Waddington, Norwood, and Ogdensburg, N. Y. Justice of the peace for twelve years; twice elected justice of the Court of Sessions; supervisor of the town of Lisbon, 1884; superintendent of the poor since 1899; deacon of the Congregational Church for twenty years past; delegate to the National Republican Convention which nominated Benjamin Harrison at Minneapolis.

1503 Dr. Jerome D. Stocking and Emma A. Hubbell had:

- (1941) Fred. J., b. July 24, 1879. Graduated, 1902. Medical student Chicago University.
- (1942) Roy M., b. August 2, 1881. Student in State University, Austin, Texas.

Emma d. at Clarendon, Texas, 1887, and Dr. Jerome m. 2d Sarah W. Ward of Henrietta, Texas, they had:

- (1943) Jerome D., Jr., b. August 25, 1890.
- (1944) Ruth Evangeline, b. August 2, 1891.
- (1945) George Ward, b. September 29, 1892.
- (1946) Homer Gray, b. November 13, 1893.
- (1947) Myron Ralph, b. December 5, 1895. d. May 24, 1899.
- (1948) Collis Allen, b. August 26, 1900.

Dr. Jerome was b. at Lisbon Centre, N. Y. Taught school at eighteen years of age, but was compelled by illness to change climate. Went to

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Big Rapids, Mich., and in 1870 returned to Lisbon Centre; rem. to Texas; taught school, 1871-72; entered Potsdam, N. Y., State Normal School, and prepared for the medical profession; graduated with honors from the Medical Department Michigan State University, at Ann Arbor, 1876; practiced medicine in Dallas and Lawrence, Tex., for nine years. In 1885 he rem. to Clarendon, Tex., a township then 235 miles from the nearest railroad, and located there on a liberal guarantee from its citizens. His wife Emma d. there of consumption, and he m. two years later, Sarah, dau. of Robert Ward, of Altona, Ill. He has a large practice and a thriving drug business, is a public-spirited citizen, a warm friend and supporter of the cause of liberal education, and president of the board of trustees of Clarendon College and University Training School, a chartered institution, under the auspices of the M. E. Church South.

1515 Lainey A. Stocking and W. A. Grey had:

(1949) Roy E., b. 1880.

(1950) James A., b. 1883.

Res. Farmington, Minn., where Mr. Grey is in the real estate and insurance business, and justice of the peace.

1517 Beatrice Stocking and James McFadden had:

(1951) Lillian, b. 1889.

(1952) Edward S., b. 1891.

Res. Webster, S. Dak.

1542 Judson Coleman Stocking and Edna Finnegan had:

(1953) Ruth, b. December, 1901.

Judson C. is a hardware merchant, Lincoln, Neb.

1551 Charles Peckham Stocking

was b. at Newmarket, Ontario; rem. with his parents to Toronto, and Erie, Pa., and after his father's death he went to live with Mr. James Pear-



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son, an uncle, where for five years he attended the public and high schools of Newmarket. In 1880 he joined a surveying party working in the township of Chisholm, their provisions being carried in canoes and boats up French River, and across Lake Nipissing. Later on, he became book-keeper for a tanning firm in Newmarket, and in 1883 he took a similar position with the Georgian Bay Consolidated Lumber Co., and he has been for nine years past its secretary-treasurer at Waubaushene, Ontario.

1552 Mary Lydia Stocking

was b. at Toronto, Canada. On the death of her father, she rem. from Erie, Pa., and in 1875 to the home of her maternal aunt, Ellie Silver, who educated her. She became a professional kindergartner, being principal at Belleville and Owen Sound. In 1902 she married Walter S. B. Armstrong, a reporter on the staff of The Globe newspaper in Toronto, in which city they still reside.

1553 Ellie Frances Stocking and Charles Henry Sheppard had:

(1954) Edwin Reginald, b. May 7, 1899.

(1955) Edith Mary Peckham, b. August 3, 1900.

Ellie rem. from Erie, Pa., in 1875 to Newmarket, Ontario, where she resided several years with her grandfather Peckham; was educated in public and high schools at Newmarket, lived for a time in Toronto and Waubaushene, and now res. at Brulé Lake, Algonquin Park, Ontario, where Mr. Sheppard is the manager of the Sheppard Lumber Co.

1554 Fred Townsend Stocking

was b. at Erie, Pa. In 1875 he rem. to Newmarket, Ontario, where he was educated in the public school and in the Collegiate Institute. In 1891 he entered the School of Practical Science, Toronto, graduating in 1895 in mechanical and electrical engineering. He then went to Buffalo, N. Y., where he mastered the practical application of his theoretical knowledge in the employ of prominent firms. In 1898 he worked for Edison in New York City, but ill health forced him to a change of climate, and he spent three years in Colorado. He is now with the Deering Harvester Co., Chicago.

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1560 Dr. Charles H. Stocking and Mina A. Woodside
had:

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1564 David Wilkins Stocking and Ada A. Harvey had:

(1959) Elizabeth, b. September, 1902.

Res. Duluth, Minn., where David W. is connected with the Lake Superior Steamship Co.

1571 Alice Elizabeth Stocking and Charles A. Merrit
had:

(1960) Mabel.

(1961) Frank Wallace.

(1962) Carl Albright.

(1963) Ernest.

(1964) Edith.

(1965) Adelbert Fair.

Mr. Merrit has been for the past thirteen years in the U. S. Postal Department, Birmingham, Ala.

1572 Fannie Hurd Stocking and Augustus W. Albright
had:

(1966) Fay, b. ——..

(1967) Margery, b. ——..

Mr. Albright has been for many years chief clerk and cashier Roane Iron Works, Chattanooga, Tenn.

1573 Carrie Eliza Stocking and William B. Fair had:

(1968) Beatrice.

Mr. Fair is a merchandise broker, Havana, Cuba.



CARL LUDLOW STOCKING.

1544 Carl Ludlow Stocking and Miriam Louise Baker had:

(1969) Ben Baker Ludlow, b. December 25, 1902.

They were m. at Key West, Fla., where they now reside. Carl L. was b. at Chattanooga, Tenn.; was educated at Birmingham, Ala., and after traveling extensively in the United States, located at Key West at the time of the Spanish-American War, engaging in the brokerage business, to which he has recently added the furniture business, being a partner with Mr. B. P. Baker, whose daughter he married.

1594 Thomas M. Stocking and Mary Ellen Ott had:

(1970) Thomas Robbins, b. June 23, 1889.

(1971) Ralph Duane, b. February 21, 1891.

(1972) Philip Austin, b. June 4, 1893.

Res. Grand Rapids, Mich.

1604 Alline Stocking and Charles Sumner Clark had:

(1973) William, b. December 20, 1896.

(1974) Allan Roberts, b. March 29, 1900.

Mr. Chas. Sumner Clark is a capitalist res. in Pittsburg, Pa.

1643 Fred W. Stocking and Alma Manning had:

(1975) Frank, b. August 2, 1891.

(1976) Helen, b. June 14, 1895.

Fred W. was b. at Gray's Harbor, Wash., whence he rem. with his widowed mother to Grand Mound, Wash. She there took up a homestead claim of 160 acres, on which the family still resides. Fred W. graduated from the Olympia Collegiate Institute in 1888, taught school for two years, after which he carried on a general mercantile business for two years in Centralia. Returning to Thurston County, he entered the political field,

serving as justice of the peace twelve years, deputy assessor eight years, and deputy treasurer for an additional period. His political and personal popularity has made him the constant recipient of public honors, he having been chosen as delegate to his county convention for seventeen years, and having been a member of the State Convention for fifteen years. He has served two terms in the State Legislature, and his influence has been decisive in measures and elections vital to the interests of the public. On nomination of President Roosevelt he was appointed in 1902 Registrar of the U. S. Land Office at Olympia, a position which he now fills with the cordial support of his fellow-citizens of all shades of political opinion.

1644 George C. Stocking and Jessie Manning had:

(1977) Hazel, b. May 29, 1893.

(1978) Alfred, b. September 26, 1897.

Res. Republic, Wash.

1645A William Lyman Stocking and Mattie A. Bryant
had:

(1979) Bessie Ella, b. October 20, 1881.

(1980) Mattie Bryant, b. May 5, 1888.

Mattie A. d. at Independence, Mo., May 16, 1888.
and William L. m. 2d, July 7, 1897, Grace
Margaret Wittich, and had:

(1980A) John Edward, b. December 1, 1898.

William L. was b. in Collinsville, Ill. He is a lawyer, formerly residing in Independence, Mo., and is now living in Kansas City, Mo.

1648 Adelbert Eugene Stocking and Anna L. Stallman
had:

(1981) Adell Eugenia, b. October 20, 1902.

Adelbert E. was b. at Richwoods, Mo.; educated in the grammar schools of St. Louis, and at the Manual Training School, and Barnes' Commercial

College; was connected with the German-American Bank, De Soto, cashier of the Blodgett Bank, and is now cashier of the Peoples' Bank, Charleston, Mo. Wife, Anna L., was from Evansville, Ind.

1676 Louis Henry Stocking and Mamie Reid had:

- (1982) Louis H.
 - (1982A) Anson R.
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1691 Ernest J. Stocking and Minnie Clark had:

- (1983) Gladys Lenore, b. June 27, 1897.
- (1984) Helen Lazetta, b. August 22, 1898.
- (1985) Ruth Evelyn, b. August 4, 1900.

Ernest J. is chief clerk in the P. C. R. R. Co., at Toledo, O.

1701 George Melville Stocking and Georgia Bell Silverthorn had:

- (1986) Daughter, b. November 29, 1901.

George M. is a photographer, res. in Wautoma, Wis.

1758 Elizabeth Cocks Stocking and Rev. Authur H. Scudder had:

- (1987) Fisk William, b. February 27, 1897.
- (1988) Anna Elizabeth, b. March 23, 1898.
- (1989) Ruth Delanoy, b. July 8, 1900.

Res. North Truro and Marion, Mass.

1760 William Alonzo Stocking, Jr., and Harriet M. Bliss had:

- (1990) John Bliss, b. March 7, 1902.

Res. Storrs, Conn.

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1799 Sarah M. Stocking and Frank Orcutt had:

(1991) Mary R., b. July 18, 1888.

(1992) Clifford F., b. October 9, 1892.

Res. Tama, Iowa.

1804 Sylvester James Stocking and Flora Weaver had:

(1993) Beryl A. S.

(1994) Mary Cornelia.

1835 Frederich Asbury Stocking and Ann Daub had:

(1995) Bernard Ambrose, b. March 17, 1895.

(1996) Fred Aloysius, b. December 29, 1897.

(1997) Theodore James John, b. June 11, 1900.

Res. Chicago. Ann is the dau. of Adam and Sophia Daub, b. at Fort Wayne, Ind., July, 1872.

1911B Mildred S. Stocking and George H. Osband had:

(1998) George B., b. April 4, 1888.

(1999) James, b. June, 1894.

Mr. Osband d. January, 1902. His widow res. in Lansing, Mich.

UNCLASSIFIED FAMILIES

WHOSE CONTINUOUS LINE OF DESCENT IS NOT ASCERTAINED.

Francis Stocking and Celesta Pratt had:

- I. Roderick F., b. 1825. m. January, 1854, Anne Whitebread.
 - II. Braddock, m. Mary Force.
 - III. Nettie, m. Frank Wilcox.
 - IV. Frederich.
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I. Roderick and Anne Whitebread had:

- V. Frank E., b. 1854. m. October, 1882, Violetta M. Vail.
 - VI. Mary Virginia, m. March, 1892, John Murray.
 - VII. Milo A., m. 1896, Lillian Beebe, of Adrian, Mich.
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II. Braddock Stocking and Mary Force had:

- VIII. Eva, m. 1882, — Burdick.
 - IX. Harriet, m. December, 1884, John Shadinger.
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III. Nettie Stocking and Frank Wilcox had:

- X. Mabel.
 - XI. Frank.
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Jeanette Stocking and Levi Eaton had:

- Newell, m. Silvia French.
- Perry, b. —. Killed on railroad.
- Fannie, b. —. Res. Denver, Colo. Unm.
- Olive, b. —. m. Philip Held, who d. at Alliance, O., February 16, 1902.

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Clarissa, b. ——. m. Chester Stone. Res. Denver.

Ruth, b. ——. d. August 16, 1864.

Mary, b. ——. m. Eugene Burton, who d. November 25, 1868.

Sarah Stocking and R. G. Eavens had:

Margaret, m. ——. Luring, Evansville, Ind.

R. G., Jr.

S. R. (son).

This family resides in Loomis, Wash., where they own a large sheep ranch. The parents d. 1901.

Jerod Stocking and Lucy Bigelow had:

Fideno.

Jerome.

Perry.

Clark.

Winfield.

Timothy.

Sally.

Emaline.

Eliza Jane.

Lucy Ann.

Mary.

Lyman Stocking and Sarah Ann White had:

George, b. July 22, 1844.

Janus H., b. June 28, 1848.

Franklin, b. February 2, 1851.

Marietta, b. May 24, 1856.

Res. Cabotville, Mass.

710 Ursula Elizabeth Arnold and Henry Eikenburg had:

Harry, b. January 8, 1863.

Manota, b. January 14, 1872.

Alice, b. February 10, 1874.

James C., b. April 17, 1878.

Emma L., b. October 6, 1881.

Res. Plattsmouth, Neb.

SUNDRY MARRIAGES.

Lucy Stocking and John Butler, April 22, 1754, in Durham, N. Y.

Jane Stocking and Joshua Merrick (probable same as Merrie), November 27, 1775.

Sarah Stocking and Aaron Evets, October 15, 1765.

Samuel Stocking and Elizabeth Scovell, in Chatham, February 2, 1769.

Marjery Stocking and Ebenezer Wells, April 29, 1779.

Samuel Stocking, of Ashfield, Mass., and Eunice Sherwin, February 1, 1787.

Joseph Stocking and Hannah Gill, December 21, 1777.

Esther Stocking and Theo. Morgan, July 26, 1791.

Anna Stocking and Samuel Latimer, April 16, 1797.

Sally Stocking and Ansel Hubbard, 1809.

Ralph Stocking and Electa Ann Taylor, January (or May) 25, 1820.

Rodney Stocking and Emily Edwards, July 3, 1823.

Polly Stocking and Thomas James.

Ann Stocking and ——— Lawson.

ROYAL DESCENTS.

Edward III. King of England had:

Prince John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, who had

Lady Joan Beaumont, m. Sir Ralph de Nevill, K. G., and had

Lady Anne Nevill, m. Humphrey de Stafford, First Duke of Buckingham, and had

Humphrey de Stafford, Eighth Earl of Stafford, Knight, who m. Lady Margaret, dau. of Sir Edmund de Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, also descended from Edward III., and had

Lady Anne de Stafford, sister of Henry de Stafford, Second Duke of Buckingham, who m. Sir Wm. de Berkley, and had

Anne Berkley, m. Sir Thomas Speke, Knight, of Whitelackingham, member of Privy Council under Edward IV., and had

Sir George Speke, Knight, of above place, m. Lady Elizabeth Luttrell, lineal descendant from Henry I. of France, and had

Lady Anne Speke, m. Sir John Horner, Knight, of Cloford, High Sheriff, 1564-73, and had

Lady Jane Horner, m. 1593, Rt.-Rev. John Still, Bishop of Bath and Wells, and had

Anne Still, m. Robert Eyre, of Sarum, 1569, and had

Katherine Eyre, 1601, m. March 17, 1635, Rev. Charles Chauncey, D. D., Second President of Harvard College, also of Royal Descent, and had

Rev. Nathaniel Chauncey, of Hatfield, Mass., who m. 1673, Abigail Strong, and had

Rev. Nathaniel Chauncey, of Durham, Conn. (b. 1681), the first graduate of Yale College, and had

Nathaniel Chauncey, of Middletown, Conn., b. 1720, who m. Mary Stocking, and had several children.

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